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OUR FIRST SCHOOL WAS ESTABLISHED IN MALTA IN 1991 AND QUICKLY BECAME ONE OF THE COUNTRY'S LEADING ENGLISH LANGUAGE SCHOOLS. TODAY, WE HELP MORE THAN 45,000 STUDENTS PER YEAR REACH THEIR LANGUAGE GOALS IN 17 BREATHTAKING DESTINATIONS AROUND THE WORLD.



About EC

Beautiful schools

We invest in our schools to create the best environment for effective learning and positive, informal interaction. Each EC school is a modern, fresh and comfortable space, filled with natural light and well equipped with the latest learning technology.

Incredible destinations

Choose from 17 stunning destinations throughout the US, Canada, UK, Malta and South Africa.

Our languages

We are specialists in teaching both English and French. We teach English in all of our schools, and French in the beautiful city of Montreal.

Your academic journey

A wide range of first-class language courses, dedicated and supportive teachers and a programme of free extra language workshops: get ready for fluency, fun and big rewards. Your journey starts here.

The EC Guarantee

We are so confident that you will reach your linguistic goals with us, we even guarantee it!

Your EC lifestyle

Living and learning abroad is a truly unique experience that goes way beyond the classroom. You will explore your chosen destination and enjoy a vibrant programme of social and cultural events with your fellow students from around the world.

A global community

Our students come from over 140 countries worldwide. You will learn about different cultures, broaden your world view and make lasting friendships as you practise and improve your language skills together.

Accreditations

Our schools are accredited by the leading associations in their respective countries and also by major international organisations.

Awards

We are regularly recognised within our industry for the work that we do. We have been nominated for the Study Travel Magazine Star Chain School Award every year except one since the Awards began. In 2011 we won this prestigious title and in both 2009 and 2010 we were awarded the LTM Star Innovation Award.



Winner

Chain School 2011
Innovation of the Year 2010
Innovation of the Year 2009



Shortlisted*

Chain School 2013
Junior Course for under 18s 2013
Chain School 2012

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Language Travel
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ENGLISHUK
member



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US** American Association
of Language Schools

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**BRITISH
COUNCIL**

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*STM Star Chain School 2013 Winner not yet announced at time of printing. **EC Bristol and EC Oxford awaiting status at time of printing.

FROM TIMES SQUARE TO TABLE MOUNTAIN, CENTRAL
LONDON TO SAN FRANCISCO, AND MONTREAL TO
MIAMI BEACH, WE HAVE SCHOOLS IN THE WORLD'S
MOST AMAZING ENGLISH-SPEAKING DESTINATIONS.



17 EXCITING DESTINATIONS



US

With its enormous, awe-inspiring landscapes and cities, the US is a destination that cannot be missed. From the great Ivy League universities to the pop music industry and the bright lights of Hollywood, the USA's infectious culture influences the English language spoken around the world.



Canada

Where snow-peaked mountains join freshwater lakes, and huge forests meet thriving, cosmopolitan cities, Canada has an endless array of landscapes. And as the world's second largest country, with two official languages – English and French – and an eclectic mix of cultures, Canada really has it all.



UK

With a colourful melting pot of cultures, lush green countryside, ancient towns and cities that pulsate with life, the UK is truly unique. And as the birthplace of the English language, it is no wonder the UK is the world's number one English study-abroad destination.



Malta

Malta is an English-speaking island in the heart of the Mediterranean. Surrounded by beautiful blue sea, with flawless weather, stunning scenery and a relaxed way of life, Malta is one of Europe's favourite English language learning destinations.



South Africa

Exotic wildlife and overwhelming natural scenery make South Africa the ideal destination for the adventurous. Add its colourful, diverse culture and fascinating history, and South Africa makes a thrilling backdrop for language learning.



EC Schools



Modern Classrooms

Get the best from your lessons in comfort and style. Airy, bright and student-centred, our classrooms are designed for learning.



State-of-the-art Technology

We invest in keeping our schools fully up-to-date with the latest learning technology, including interactive whiteboards.



Library Facilities

Take advantage of our extra study resources and spend time browsing our well-stocked libraries after class.



Student Lounges

Sit back, relax and practise your speaking skills with friends in our comfortable and buzzy student lounge areas.



Self-Study Areas

These special quiet areas are places where you can retreat and concentrate to really enhance your classroom learning.



Stay Connected

Keep in touch with home, study online or just browse the internet with free use of numerous internet-connected computers and Wi-Fi.



Welcoming Reception

Warm and friendly staff are waiting to welcome you. Our professional team will always go the extra mile to offer their help and support.



Step Outside

Take a step outside any EC school and find yourself in the heart of an exciting, vibrant city, with sights and attractions all around you.



WE KNOW YOU LEARN BEST WHEN YOU ARE HAPPY, COMFORTABLE AND ENERGISED, SO WE DESIGN YOUR SCHOOL ENVIRONMENT AROUND THESE PRINCIPLES. THE DÉCOR IS MODERN AND BRIGHT, FACILITIES STATE-OF-THE-ART, AND CLASSROOMS FILLED WITH NATURAL LIGHT.



Your Language Journey

Our academic programme is rooted in our primary objective: 'Helping students succeed in a global community'. Embark on a journey with us that will take you not only to fluency, but into a world of increased opportunities and broader horizons.



THE EC GUARANTEE IS VERY SIMPLE

- ✓ If you are committed to learning
- ✓ If you have attended all lessons
- ✓ If you have completed your homework, tests and assignments

Then we promise you will progress at the rate shown on the Progress Planner opposite.

If you do not progress at the expected rate, we will provide you with all the additional lessons, help and support you need to reach your target level at **no extra cost**.

The world's language

English is the primary language of the internet, international business and academia, science, technology, diplomacy, sport, international competitions, pop music and advertising.

We know our students have many reasons and motivations to learn English, but connecting all of these is a desire to expand opportunities, open doors and participate in a globalised 21st-century world. We give you the communication tools to succeed.

More than just a language course

With us, you will not only become a fluent, accurate and confident English speaker, but we will also train you to think critically in English, present your thoughts and opinions masterfully, and continue your learning outside the classroom.

With our support and empowering approach, you will have everything you need on your journey to fluency and into a brighter future.

Assessment and progress

EC courses are uniquely designed to allow you to progress at a rate that is right for you.

You will sit a Placement Test on your first day to ensure your journey begins at the right point. Every 4 to 6 weeks, a Level Test will make sure you remain in the level that both supports and challenges you. Finally, you will take an Exit Test to show your total improvement.

Result

By the time you leave us, you will have reached your target level, and achieved a deeper understanding and more sophisticated command of the English language.

With the skills you have gained, and the confidence to communicate in many different contexts with both the spoken and written word, new opportunities will have opened for you worldwide, in your work, your studies and your life.

You will also benefit from the cultural experience of living and learning in a different country. You will enjoy an enriching multicultural environment and make friends with people from all around the world.

In addition to this, and perhaps most importantly, your experience at EC will inspire and empower you to continue using and learning English beyond your time with us and far into the future.



Progress Planner

From the moment you begin your EC experience, we are committed to providing you with all the tools and support you need to reach your target level. Have a look at our Progress Planner to plan your route to fluency and be confident that your success is guaranteed.

			20 lessons per week	24 lessons per week	30 lessons per week
PROFICIENT	C2 PROFICIENCY <i>Equivalent to: Cambridge CPE, IELTS 7.5–9.0, TOEFL iBT 106–120</i>	You have near-full command of the English language with consistent accuracy, fluency, appropriate usage and comprehension.	12–16 weeks	11–15 weeks	10–12 weeks
	C1 ADVANCED <i>Equivalent to: Cambridge CAE, IELTS 6.5–7.5, TOEFL iBT 86–105</i>	You have a good command of English. You can read most types of texts and write accurately with few grammatical errors.	12–16 weeks	11–15 weeks	10–12 weeks
INDEPENDENT	B2 UPPER INTERMEDIATE <i>Equivalent to: Cambridge FCE, IELTS 6.0–6.5, TOEFL iBT 66–85</i>	You can use the language with confidence in all but demanding situations. You have few lapses in accuracy and fluency.	12–22 weeks	12–20 weeks	12–18 weeks
	B2- HIGH INTERMEDIATE <i>Equivalent to: IELTS 5.5–6.0, TOEFL iBT 46–65</i>	You can use the language with some confidence but with noticeable lapses in accuracy and fluency.			
	B1+ INTERMEDIATE <i>Equivalent to: Cambridge PET, IELTS 4.5–5.0, TOEFL iBT 35–45</i>	You are able to communicate easily on everyday matters but you have a limited range of expression.	12–22 weeks	12–20 weeks	12–18 weeks
	B1 LOW INTERMEDIATE	You can communicate fairly easily on everyday matters but have a very limited range of expression.			
BASIC	A2-B1 PRE-INTERMEDIATE <i>Equivalent to: IELTS 4</i>	You understand most conversations spoken slowly and clearly.	10–12 weeks	9–10 weeks	8 weeks
	A1-A2 ELEMENTARY <i>Equivalent to: Cambridge KET, IELTS 3</i>	You have basic knowledge of vocabulary and grammar. You can understand simple messages, instructions and directions.	9 weeks	7–8 weeks	6 weeks
	A1 BEGINNER	You have a very basic knowledge of vocabulary and understand simple grammatical structure.	6 weeks	5 weeks	4 weeks
	COMPLETE BEGINNER	You have no knowledge of written or spoken English.	6–12 weeks	5–10 weeks	4–8 weeks

Your Teachers

At the heart of everything we do is our professional and friendly academic team. At EC, your teachers will personally guide, support and motivate you to do your best, every step of the way.

Passion and professionalism

Our academic team is made up of fully qualified teachers, who are friendly, professional and passionate about what they do.

With their expertise and encouraging approach, their goal is to help you realise your potential and get the very most out of your experience.

The best classroom environment

We strongly believe that you learn more when you are comfortable and happy, so our teachers put every emphasis on making that happen. Classrooms are relaxed, welcoming and fun, where a nurturing and secure environment will help to build your confidence.

Lessons that work

With true dedication to your success, your teachers will design lessons to bring out the very best in you. Interactive, relevant and tailored to your needs, they focus on the active use of the language to ensure you remain energised and engaged.

Maximum support

You will be supported by a team of two teachers at each level during your time with us.

As well as exposing you to different, authentic accents, they will work together to assess your individual needs, monitor your progress and give you feedback.

Their flexibility and combined strengths will ensure you are guided smoothly towards your own individual goals.

Teacher lectures

At EC, we celebrate the fact that each one of our teachers is a unique individual with different interests, experiences and perspectives. To demonstrate this and enrich our students' learning, teachers give free lectures to students on the subjects they are most passionate about.

Read more about these in the section 'Free Language Workshops'.



"EC ISN'T ANY AVERAGE SCHOOL, AND THERE ARE SO MANY REASONS I LOVE TEACHING HERE. APART FROM THE GREAT ATMOSPHERE, WE'RE TRAINED TO THINK CREATIVELY AND DESIGN OUR LESSONS USING MODERN TEACHING METHODS AND TECHNOLOGY. WHEN I SEE MY STUDENTS GENUINELY ENGAGING WITH THE CLASSES AND EACH OTHER, HAVING FUN, AND REALLY IMPROVING, I KNOW I'M IN THE RIGHT PLACE!"

SARAH *from EC MALTA*

Free Language Workshops

Boost your course with extra teacher-led sessions, which take place outside of classroom hours. They are open to everybody and free of charge.

Workshops Available at All Schools

All year round at every school, we guarantee the free language workshops programme will include the following three fantastic sessions, and even if you book for just one week you will have access to at least one of them.



Pronunciation clinics

Learn to produce the sounds of native English and practise them in isolation, in context and in everyday situations. These sessions address issues and problems you may face while you are learning to speak fluently.



Lectures

Delivered by special guest speakers and our own teachers, lectures could be about any topic at all. You will learn interesting facts and gain listening practice while developing key skills such as note taking and summary-writing.



Conversation sessions

Grab a cup of coffee and enjoy practising your conversation skills with students from different classes, levels and nationalities. In these relaxed and sociable sessions, topics could be about anything, from culture to global events.

Additional Workshops

Each school's Free Language Workshops programme adapts to the linguistic needs of our students within the school at any given time. Here are some examples of the sessions you may be able to attend at our schools around the world:

Writing Clinic

Practise your written English skills and develop a practical understanding of both formal and informal writing styles.

Homework Club

An organised get together with other students, where you can help each other with homework and practise your English in a group setting.

Exam Skills

Master the skills that will help you excel in your language exams.

Local Conversation Partners

Exclusive to EC Boston, we match our long-term students with a native speaker in the local area, to meet and chat on a regular basis.

Careers Service

Professional Careers Advisers guide you through CV and cover letter preparation, job searching and university applications.

Film Series

Settle down to watch a film together and have a group discussion afterwards.

The Hood

Learn about how literature, history, immigration, and economic and political movements have shaped the city you are studying.

Breaking News

Get together with your fellow students to discuss and debate the local and international issues of the day.

Improvisation Hour

Improve your speaking skills, gain confidence and have fun through improvisation.

Accommodation

Whether you would like to live with other students in a residence, or decide to experience local daily life with a homestay, our range of accommodation options ensures you find the perfect home away from home.



Homestay

Gain a unique cultural experience in your chosen destination and use your English in a natural environment outside of the classroom. You will enjoy all the pleasures of home with your host family: a welcoming environment, comfort and home-cooked food.

Residence

The ultimate student experience! Live independently in dedicated student accommodation, while enjoying and exploring your chosen destination with like-minded people from all over the world.

Student House or Shared Apartment

Enjoy the independence of a residence on a smaller scale. Sharing a house or apartment with other international students will give you lots of opportunities to practise your English language skills and make lasting friendships with your new housemates.

Studio or One Bedroom Apartment

Choose this option for the most independent lifestyle. Suitable for a single person or two people booking together, these self-contained apartments offer privacy and comfort in the heart of your chosen destination.



"EC IS GREAT BECAUSE I CAN PRACTISE MY ENGLISH IN MANY DIFFERENT WAYS. THERE ARE A LOT OF FREE ACTIVITIES AND I DO THEM ALL BECAUSE I CAN MAKE FRIENDS AND IMPROVE MY ENGLISH EVEN MORE.

MY TIME IS GOING VERY FAST BECAUSE EVERY DAY IS SO BUSY, BUT I WISH MY EXPERIENCE WILL NOT END!"

DAVID *from SPAIN*
Studying at EC Los Angeles

The EC Week

EC gives you a full immersion experience. Every day your lessons provide you with focused study, and outside of class your time is filled with opportunities for additional learning, fun and relaxation. All this allows you to practise and develop your newly acquired language.



Your schedule

Lesson times and activities vary slightly between EC schools, and your personal timetable will be sent to you upon booking. Whichever school you choose, we structure your schedule to ensure you remain engaged and energised throughout the day, with plenty of time to tailor your own experience.

See below for an example of what your first week might look like at EC Los Angeles:

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Weekend
09:00 – 10:30	Arrival, check in and placement test	Lessons	Morning with friends celebrity spotting in Beverly Hills, followed by lunch at 3rd Street Promenade next to the school	Lessons	Morning on Santa Monica beach, relaxing with classmates	Self-study time and many activities to choose from: city tour, Disneyland, Universal Studios, Sea World, Griffith Observatory and Hollywood sign, picnics, sports events and more
10:30 – 10:45	Meet classmates for the first time	Breaktime		Breaktime		
10:45 – 12:15	Orientation with EC staff members	Lessons		Lessons		
12:15 – 13:00	Lunch	Lunch		Lunch		
13:00 – 14:30	Welcome tour of the neighbourhood	Elective Session	Elective Session	Elective Session	Elective Session	
14:30 – 14:45	Breaktime	Pronunciation Clinic	Breaktime	Conversation Club	Breaktime	
14:45 – 16:15	Lessons	Join EC Football team and play first match	Lessons	Homework and self-study in the library	Lessons	
16:15 – 16:30	Breaktime		Breaktime		Breaktime	
16:30 – 18:00	Lessons		Lessons		Lessons	
After school	Welcome event	Evening in with host family	LA Dodgers baseball game	Movie Night	International party	



Inspiring Activities

Get the best from your destination and make the most of your time. Many of our activities are free, and whether you enjoy sightseeing, sports, the arts, shopping or relaxation, you can create your perfect EC experience.

The programme will vary depending on your destination city, and will include such activities as:

- City walking tours
- Game nights
- Museum and gardens visits
- Basketball, table tennis, football and beach volleyball
- Tai chi and yoga
- Local volunteering
- Art classes
- Group dinners
- Karaoke and open mic nights
- Outdoor movies
- Pub and bar nights
- College and university visits
- Full day and weekend excursions outside of the city





● EC VANCOUVER

● EC TORONTO

● EC MONTREAL

● EC BOSTON

● EC NEW YORK

● EC SAN FRANCISCO

● EC LOS ANGELES

● EC SAN DIEGO

● EC MIAMI



The Multi-Destination Experience

If you can't decide between destinations, you can take advantage of our Multi-Destination option, which allows you to study at multiple EC schools. Records of your work and progress will be passed between the Academic Teams at the individual schools to ensure your transition is smooth, and you may also benefit from preferential rates as cost is calculated on the total duration of your course.



EC OXFORD ●

EC BRISTOL ●

● EC CAMBRIDGE

● EC LONDON

● EC COVENT GARDEN 30+

●
EC BRIGHTON

●
EC MALTA

Choose Your School

"I WENT TO EC BRIGHTON, EC MALTA AND EC MIAMI
TO STUDY ENGLISH. THE SCHOOLS ARE GREAT AND
VERY CLOSE TO EVERYTHING. THE INFRASTRUCTURE IS
EXCELLENT SUCH AS THE DIGITAL WHITEBOARDS AND
THE COMPUTER LOUNGES."

SAKURA *from JAPAN*

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EC CAPE TOWN



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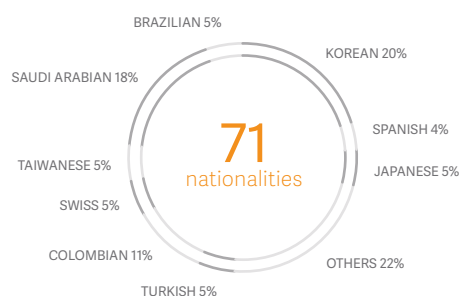
STUDENT
LOUNGE



KITCHEN
AREA

Faneuil Hall is one of the most important sites in US history, and today the most vibrant area in America's academic heartland. This ultra-modern school is just minutes from the waterfront, amongst shops, restaurants and attractions.

Nationality mix



Age mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2013.

School information

Capacity 350

Classrooms 25

Student computers 30

Students in class Average 12 (Max 14)

Minimum age 16 years

Courses

General English

Semi-Intensive English

Intensive English

English for Work

Academic Semester/Year

Intensive Academic Semester/Year

Business Semester/Year

Cambridge Intensive Exam Preparation

IELTS/TOEFL Exam Preparation

IELTS/TOEFL Intensive Exam Preparation

One-to-One

University Admissions Service

Volunteer Programme

Courses include

Course book

English language activities & workshops

Welcome event

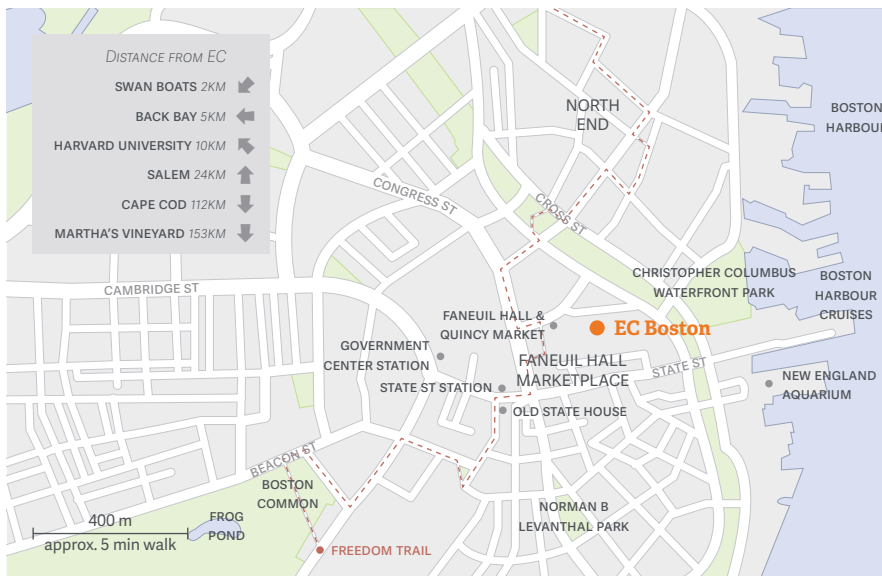
Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

Homestay

Shared Apartment

Summer Residence



Don't Miss

- Faneuil Hall Marketplace, the city's centre of food and shopping, right outside the door of EC Boston
- Cape Cod's 40 miles of untouched beautiful sandy beaches
- Walking through Harvard campus, the oldest and most prestigious university in the USA
- The ferry to Martha's Vineyard, a sunny island with plenty of beaches and home to The Flying Horses, America's oldest carousel
- The haunting past of Salem with a walking tour devoted to the 1692 Witch Trials





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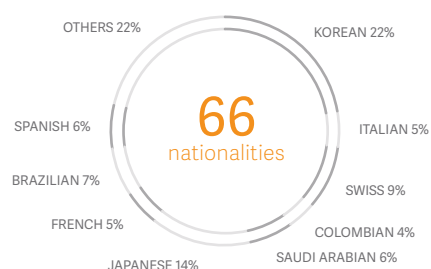
STUDENT
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DELI IN
BUILDING

EC New York is a contemporary space and, in the heart of Times Square, possibly the most centrally located school in 'The Big Apple'. With fantastic city views, EC is minutes away from 5th Avenue, Broadway, the Empire State Building and so much more.

Nationality mix



Age mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2013.

School information

Capacity 224

Classrooms 16

Student computers 24

Students in class Average 12 (Max 14)

Minimum age 16 years

Courses

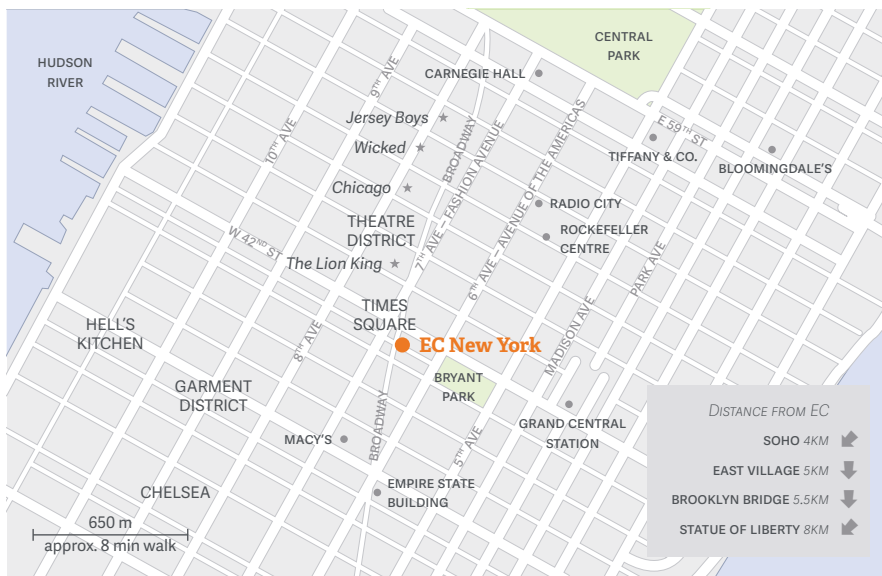
General English
Semi-Intensive English
Intensive English
English for Work
Academic Semester/Year
Intensive Academic Semester/Year
Business Semester/Year
Cambridge Intensive Exam Preparation
TOEFL Intensive Exam Preparation
One-to-One
University Admissions Service
English Plus: Dance
English Plus: New York Film Academy

Courses include

Course book
English language activities & workshops
Welcome event
Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

Homestay
Manhattan Homestay
Residence
Summer Residence



Don't Miss

- The iconic Statue of Liberty overlooking the Manhattan skyline
- The Empire State Building's flawless views of the city from the 102nd floor observatory
- Escaping the city sounds with a stroll through Central Park, the world's most visited urban park
- Times Square's chaos of bright lights, animated advertisements, yellow taxis and tourist attractions
- Window-shopping along 5th Avenue, one of the world's most expensive shopping streets





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EC San Francisco



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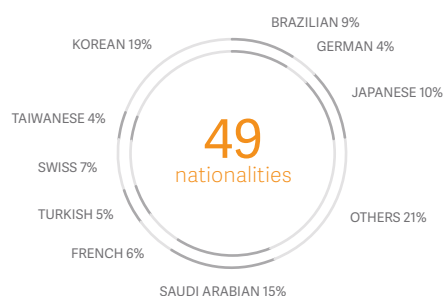
STUDENT
LOUNGE



DELI IN
BUILDING

A contemporary space in the heart of Downtown, EC San Francisco is just off Market Street and a short walk to Union Square. Classrooms surround a large sun-filled lounge, and just outside is a wide variety of shops, restaurants and cafés.

Nationality mix



Age mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2013.

School information

Capacity 210

Classrooms 15

Student computers 23

Students in class Average 12 (Max 14)

Minimum age 16 years

Courses

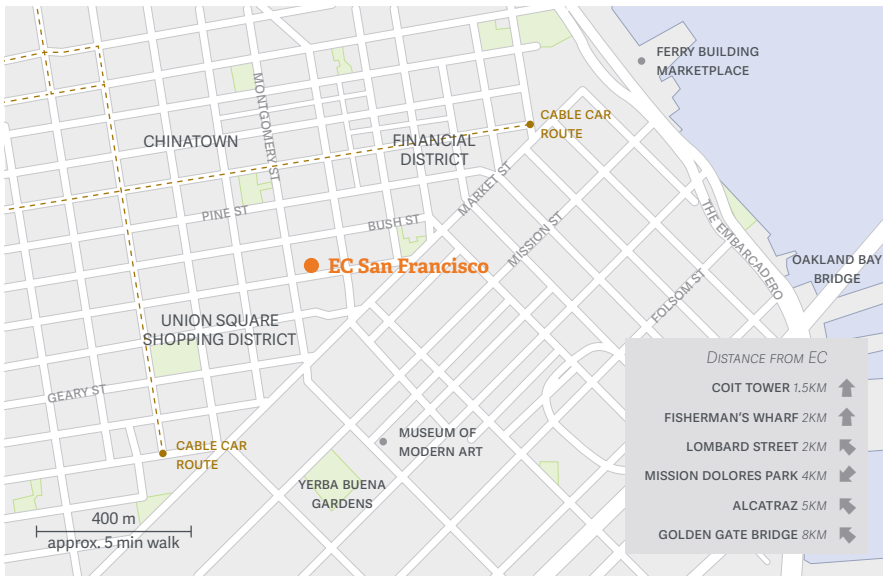
General English
Semi-Intensive English
Intensive English
English for Work
Academic Semester/Year
Intensive Academic Semester/Year
Business Semester/Year
Cambridge Intensive Exam Preparation
TOEFL Intensive Exam Preparation
One-to-One
University Admissions Service
Volunteer Programme
English Plus: Wine Appreciation

Courses include

Course book
English language activities & workshops
Welcome event
Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

Homestay
Residence



Don't Miss

- Taking a ride on the world's last manually-operated cable car system
- The former Alcatraz prison that once housed notorious criminals such as Al Capone
- The stories of danger and challenges with a tour of the Golden Gate Bridge
- Tasting delicious fresh seafood like Dungeness crab and cioppino at the Fisherman's Wharf
- Union Square, a large collection of department stores, upscale boutiques and tourist shops





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EC San Diego



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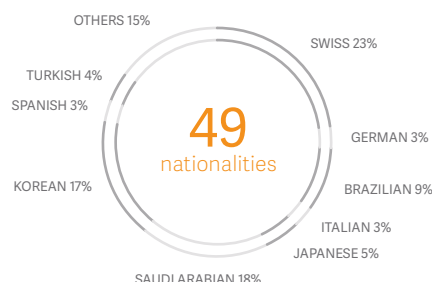
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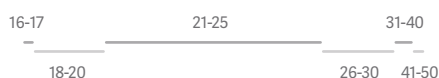
OUTDOOR
TERRACE

EC San Diego is located in picturesque La Jolla, known for its shopping and spectacular coastline, where seals can be spotted next to surfers and sunbathers. The school boasts beautiful ocean views, an outdoor terrace and a relaxed Californian atmosphere.

Nationality mix



Age mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2013.

School information

Capacity 300

Classrooms 23

Student computers 23

Students in class Average 12 (Max 14)

Minimum age 16 years

Courses

General English

Semi-Intensive English

Intensive English

English for Work

Academic Semester/Year

Intensive Academic Semester/Year

Business Semester/Year

Cambridge Intensive Exam Preparation

TOEFL Intensive Exam Preparation

One-to-One

University Admissions Service

Volunteer Programme

English Plus: Surfing

Courses include

Course book

English language activities & workshops

Welcome event

Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

Homestay

Shared Apartment



Don't Miss

- Swimming, scuba diving, snorkelling and lying on the sandy beach at La Jolla Cove
- Visiting one of Balboa Park's many museums and gardens
- Walking, cycling or rollerblading along the Pacific Beach seafront
- A trip across the bridge to Coronado Island boasting one of America's best beaches
- Attending an annual festival or enjoying the nightlife in the historic Gaslamp Quarter





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EC Los Angeles *in Santa Monica*



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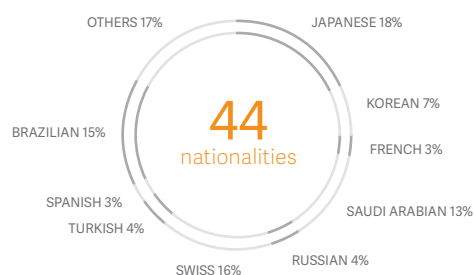
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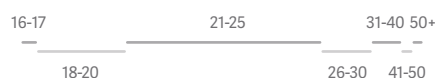
STUDENT
LOUNGE

EC Los Angeles is a five-minute walk from sun-drenched Santa Monica Beach – the ultimate stretch of South Californian coastline – and just two minutes from the dining, shopping and nightlife of 3rd Street Promenade.

Nationality mix



Age mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2013.

School information

Capacity 336

Classrooms 24

Student computers 31

Students in class 11 (Max 14)

Minimum age 16 years

Courses

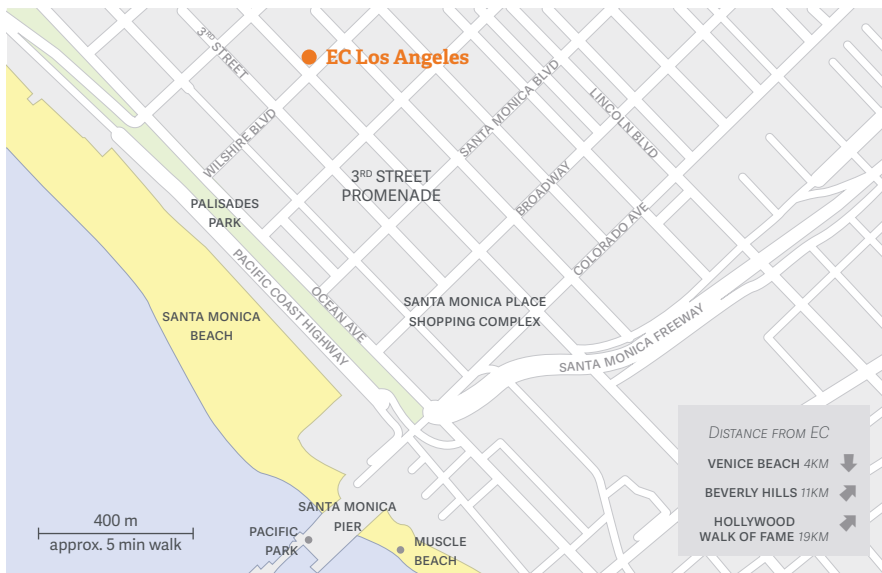
General English
Semi-Intensive English
Intensive English
English for Work
Academic Semester/Year
Intensive Academic Semester/Year
Business Semester/Year
Cambridge Intensive Exam Preparation
TOEFL Intensive Exam Preparation
One-to-One
University Admissions Service
Volunteer Programme
English Plus: Acting

Courses include

Course book
English language activities & workshops
Welcome event
Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

Homestay
Shared Apartment



Don't Miss

- 3rd Street Promenade, an impressive array of national stores and boutiques
- The amusement park, aquarium, shops and bars on Santa Monica Pier
- Watching zany street performers, artists and skateboarders on Venice Beach
- Bringing out your inner child at Disneyland or seeing your favourite movie come to life at Universal Studios
- Celebrity spotting in Beverly Hills





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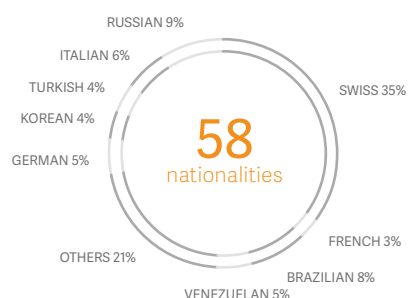
SELF-STUDY
ROOM



STUDENT
LOUNGE

In a spectacular landmark building in the heart of South Beach, EC Miami is just a short walk from one of the most iconic beaches in the US and is surrounded by the endless cafés, bars, shops and restaurants of world-famous Lincoln Road.

Nationality mix



Age mix



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School information

Capacity 196
Classrooms 14
Student computers 13
Students in class Average 11 (Max 14)
Minimum age 16 years

Courses

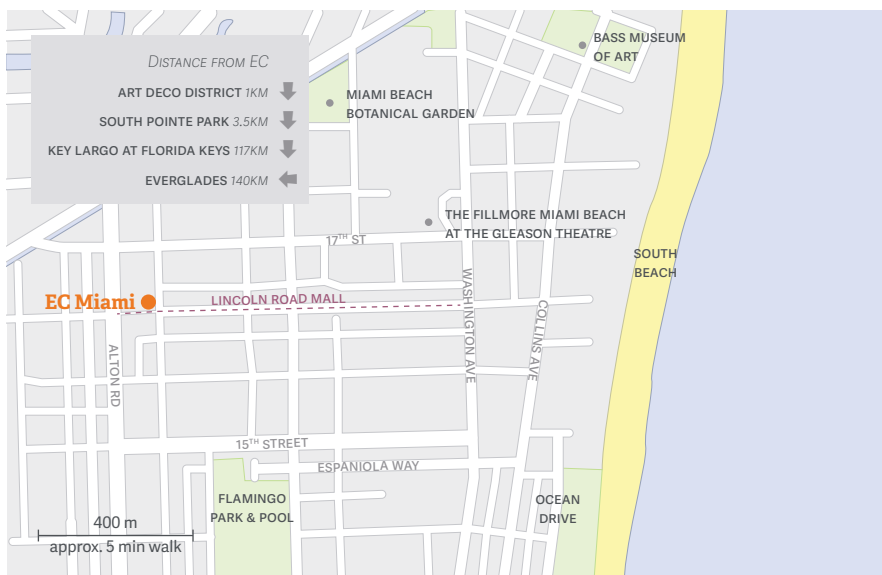
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 Academic Semester/Year
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 Cambridge Intensive Exam Preparation
 TOEFL Intensive Exam Preparation
 One-to-One
 University Admissions Service
 Volunteer Programme
 English Plus: Salsa Dancing

Courses include

Course book
 English language activities & workshops
 Welcome event
 Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

Homestay
 Studio Apartment
 One Bedroom Apartment
 Shared Apartment



Don't Miss

- Lying in the flawless white sand of sunny South Beach
- Lincoln Road Mall, a pedestrian-only promenade with bars, shops and galleries
- The beautiful Art Deco architecture and incredible restaurants along Ocean Drive
- Fishing, snorkelling, scuba diving or just relaxing in a hammock in the Florida Keys
- A ride on an air-boat to view the unique scenery and wildlife of the Everglades





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ROOM



STUDENT
LOUNGE



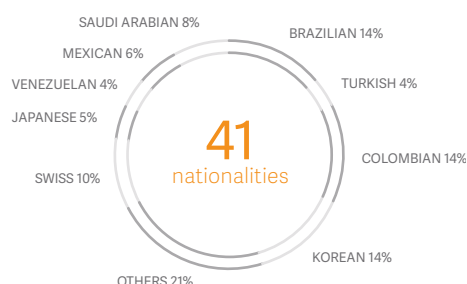
FOOD COURT
IN BUILDING



KITCHEN
AREA

The world's largest bilingual city, Montreal is rich in European charm with a unique English and French cultural mix. EC Montreal is an airy, modern school located in the heart of the city, where students can choose to study English, French, or both.

Nationality mix



Age mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2013.

School information

Capacity 290

Classrooms 23

Student computers 20

Class size Average 13 (Max 15)

Higher Score® class size Average 16 (Max 18)

Minimum age 16 years

Courses

General English/French

Semi-Intensive English/French/Bilingual

Intensive English/French/Bilingual

English/French For Work

English/French:

Academic Semester/Year

Semi-Intensive Academic Semester/Year

Intensive Academic Semester/Year

Higher Score® IELTS

One-to-One

University Admissions Service

Co-Op Programme

English/French Plus: Gastronomy

Courses include

English/French language activities & workshops

Welcome event

Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

Homestay

Shared Apartment

Studio Apartment



Don't Miss

- The historic architecture, art galleries and museums of Old Montreal
- The Notre Dame Basilica, famous for its impressive architecture and artwork
- Renting Bixi-bikes and exploring Montreal from its numerous bike paths
- Eating a poutine at La Banquise or a smoked meat sandwich at Schwartz
- The magnificent city views from the Mont Royal summit





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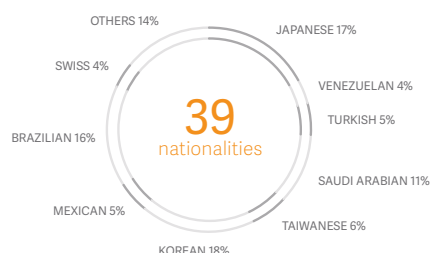


KITCHEN
AREA

Friendly, spacious and modern, EC Toronto is located in Canada's largest city and financial capital.

This multicultural destination is formed of unique neighbourhoods and has everything to offer: arts, music, sports, museums and more.

Nationality mix



Age mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2013.

30+

CLUB 30+: General, Semi-Intensive, Intensive and English for Work students aged 30 years+ (Pre-Intermediate to High Intermediate level) will be placed in exclusive classes at no extra cost.

School information

Capacity 650

Classrooms 52

Student computers 58

Class size Average 13 (Max 15)

Higher Score® class size Average 16 (Max 18)

Minimum age 16 years

Courses

General English

Semi-Intensive English

Intensive English

English for Work

Academic Semester/Year

Semi-Intensive Academic Semester/Year

Intensive Academic Semester/Year

Business Semester/Year

Cambridge Intensive Exam Preparation

Higher Score® IELTS/TOEFL/TOEIC

Higher Score® Semi-Intensive IELTS/TOEFL/TOEIC

Higher Score® Intensive IELTS/TOEFL/TOEIC

One-to-One

University Admissions Service

Co-Op Programme

English Plus: Film Production/Graphic Design

Courses include

English language activities & workshops

Welcome event

Social and cultural programme

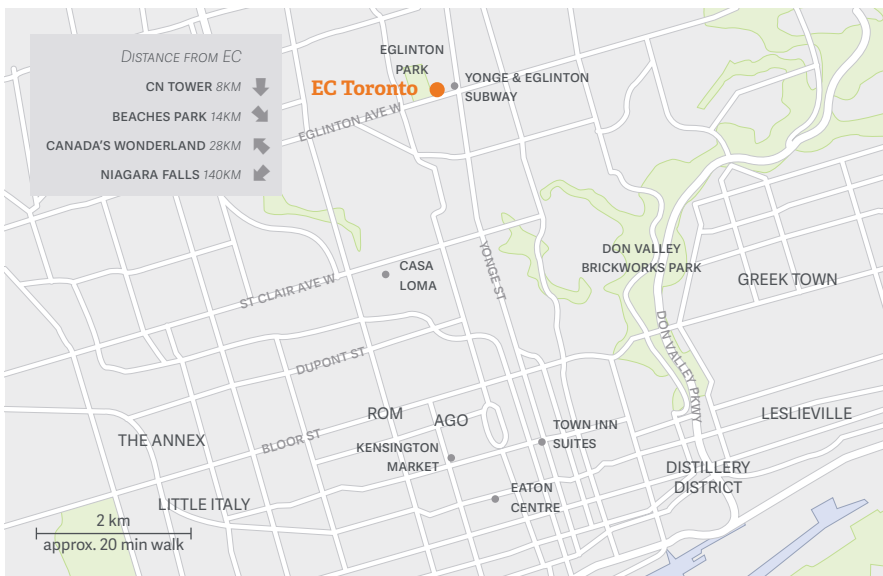
Accommodation

Homestay

Shared/Studio Apartment

Apartment

Summer Residence



Don't Miss

- The CN Tower's EdgeWalk, the world's highest full-circle hands-free walk 356m above ground
- A boat ride on the *Maid of the Mist* to get close to the Niagara Falls
- The 200 thrilling roller-coasters and attractions at Canada's Wonderland
- Natural history and world cultures at the spectacular Royal Ontario Museum
- Kensington Market, selling original jewellery, vintage clothing and speciality foods





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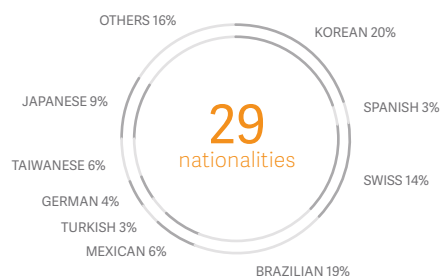
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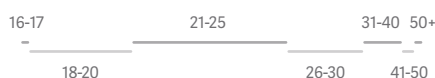
KITCHEN
AREA

Consistently rated one of the top places in the world to live, Vancouver is surrounded by ocean and mountains. EC Vancouver is located in a landmark building in the centre of this picturesque city, with large classrooms filled with natural light.

Nationality mix



Age mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2013.

School information

Capacity 373

Classrooms 33

Student computers 31

Class size Average 13 (max 15)

Higher Score® class size Average 16 (max 18)

Minimum age 16 years

Courses

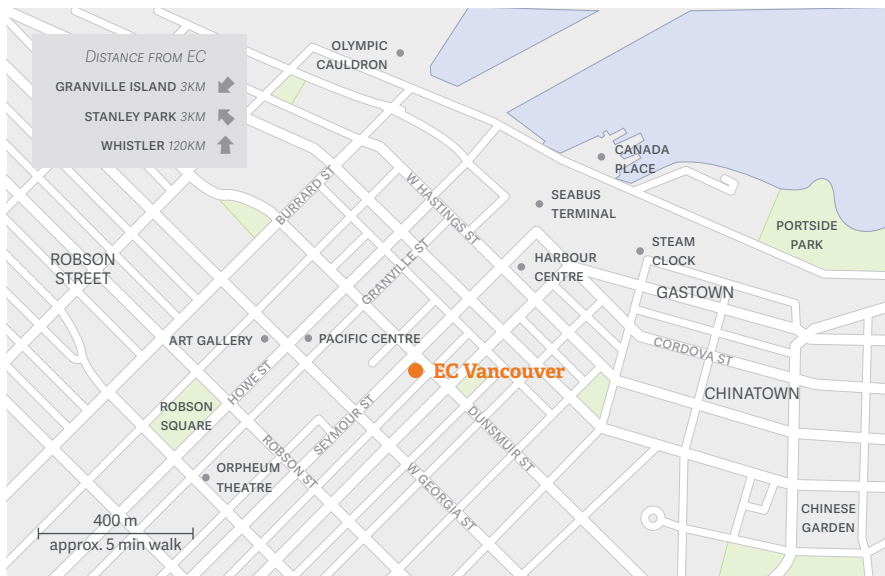
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English for Work
Academic Semester/Year
Semi-Intensive Academic Semester/Year
Intensive Academic Semester/Year
Business Semester/Year
Cambridge Intensive Exam Preparation
Higher Score® IELTS/TOEFL/TOEIC
One-to-One
University Admissions Service
Co-Op Programme
English Plus: Sailing/Ranch Stay

Courses include

English language activities & workshops
Welcome event
Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

Homestay
Residence
Apartment



Don't Miss

- Renting a bike or rollerblades and riding Stanley Park's 9km seawall path
- Skiing, snowboarding, trekking and mountain biking in Whistler
- Visiting the trendy shops, bars and restaurants along the historic cobblestoned streets of Gastown
- Granville Island's waterfront restaurants, cafés, theatres, galleries, studios and fresh food market
- A whale-watching boat tour to get a close-up of Pacific grey whales, humpbacks and orcas





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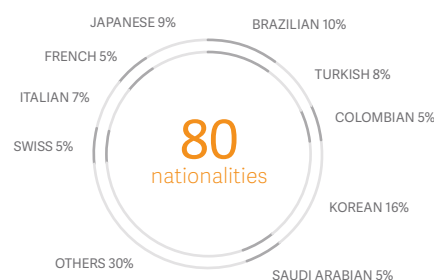
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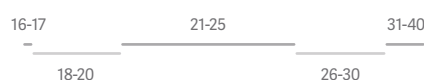
CAFÉ IN
BUILDING

EC London is moments away from fashionable King's Cross and has unbeatable access to all areas of the city. Experience first-class facilities, bright classrooms and a fantastic cafeteria at this beautiful, modern school.

Nationality mix



Age mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2013.

School information

Capacity 276

Classrooms 24

Student computers 26

Students in class Average 11 (Max 12)

Minimum age 16 years (18 years, 23 Jun – 22 Aug)

Courses

General English*

Intensive English*

English for Work

Academic Semester/Year*

Intensive Academic Semester/Year*

Business Semester/Year

Cambridge Exam Preparation

Cambridge Intensive Exam Preparation

IELTS*/TOEFL/TOEIC Intensive

Exam Preparation

One-to-One

Internship in London

**Afternoon only option available for these courses*

Courses include

Course book

English language activities & workshops

Welcome event

Social and cultural programme

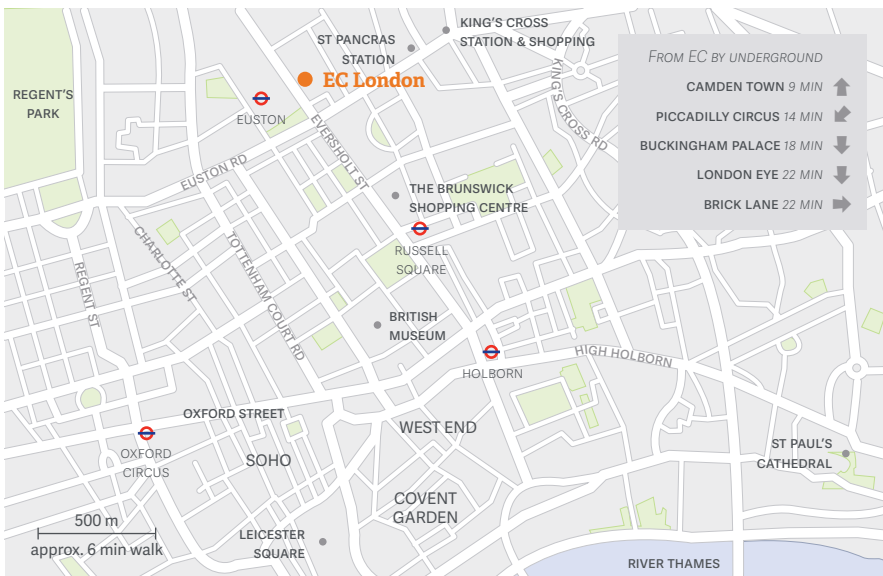
Accommodation

Homestay

Student House

Residence

Summer Residence



Don't Miss

- Buckingham Palace, the most iconic royal building in the country
- Climbing the stairs of St. Paul's Cathedral to see panoramic views across London
- Taking a ride on Europe's largest Ferris wheel The London Eye
- Shopping, dining and relaxing in the brand new King's Cross Central
- Catching a glimpse of the Crown Jewels at the Tower of London





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EC Covent Garden 30+



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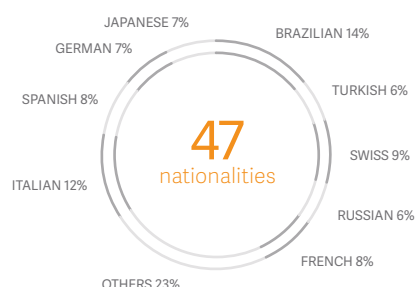
STUDENT
LOUNGE



CAFÉ IN
BUILDING

This unique school is exclusively for those aged 30 years and over who want to share their experience with more mature, like-minded students. London's Covent Garden is buzzing and colourful, famous for theatres, street performers, restaurants and nightlife.

Nationality mix



Age mix



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School information

Capacity 132
Classrooms 11
Student computers 10
Students in class Average 11 (Max 12)
Minimum age 30 years

Courses

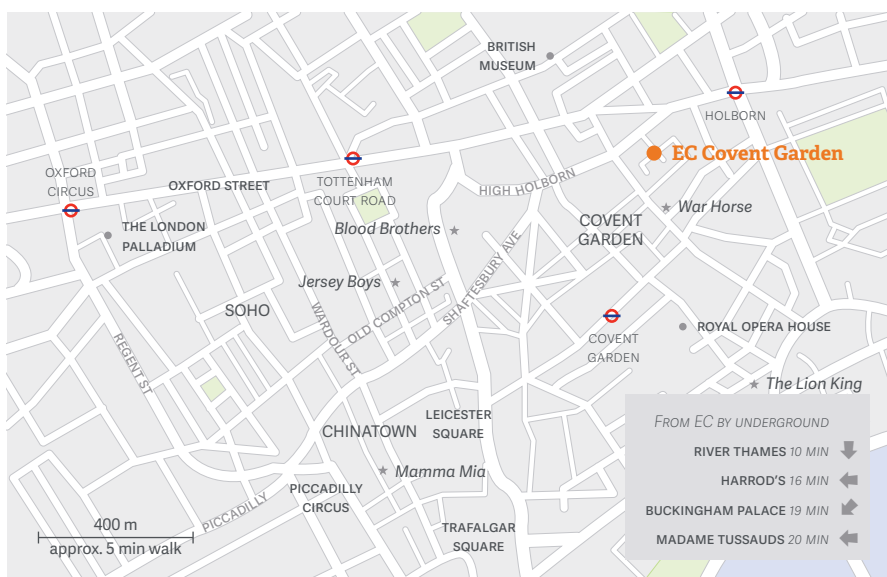
General English
 Intensive English
 English for Work
 One-to-One

Courses include

Course book
 English language activities & workshops
 Welcome event
 Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

Homestay
 Residence
 Studios



Don't Miss

- The opera, ballet and other classic performances at the Royal Opera House
- Shops and fashionable boutiques on the world-famous Oxford Street
- World-renowned musicals and plays in London's famous West End
- Free entrance to the capital's many world-class museums and galleries
- The trendy bars, chic restaurants and lively nightclubs in Soho





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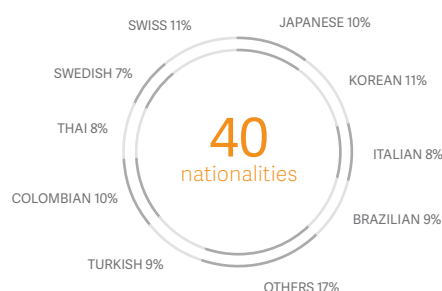
SELF-STUDY
ROOM



STUDENT
LOUNGE

Nestled amongst the magnificent colleges of Oxford University is our welcoming school in the centre of this ancient and enchanting city. Airy and spacious, with ultra-modern facilities, EC Oxford offers the perfect learning environment.

Nationality mix



Age mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2013.

School information

Capacity 200
Classrooms 15
Student computers 17
Students in class Average 12 (Max 14)
Minimum age 16 years

Courses

General English
 Intensive English
 English for Work
 Academic Semester/Year
 Intensive Academic Semester/Year
 Business Semester/Year
 Cambridge Exam Preparation
 Cambridge Intensive Exam Preparation
 IELTS Intensive Exam Preparation
 One-to-One
 Internship in London

Courses include

Course book
 English language activities & workshops
 Welcome event
 Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

Homestay
 Student House
 Summer Residence



Don't Miss

- Wandering through the colleges, museums and grounds of Oxford University
- The most compact yet diverse collection of plants in the world at the Botanic Gardens
- Outstanding international anthropological collections at the Pitt Rivers Museum
- Browsing for crafts, clothing and food, under one ancient roof, at the Covered Market
- One of the oldest libraries in Europe, Gothic masterpiece the Bodleian Library





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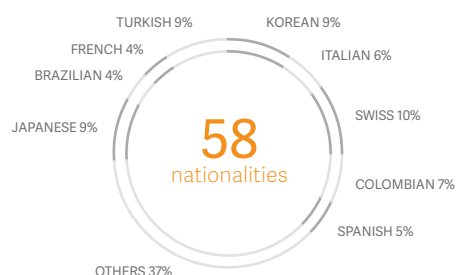
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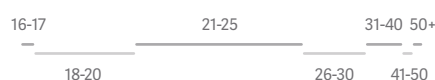
STUDENT
LOUNGE

EC Cambridge is one of the few language schools in the heart of this world-class academic city. The school is situated in a very modern building adjacent to one of Cambridge's main shopping areas.

Nationality mix



Age mix



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School information

Capacity 196
Classrooms 14
Student computers 26
Students in class Average 12 (Max 14)
Minimum age 16 years

Courses

General English
 Intensive English
 English for Work
 Academic Semester/Year
 Intensive Academic Semester/Year
 Business Semester/Year
 Cambridge Exam Preparation
 Cambridge Intensive Exam Preparation
 IELTS Intensive Exam Preparation
 One-to-One
 Internship in London

Courses include

Course book
 English language activities & workshops
 Welcome event
 Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

Homestay
 Student House
 Summer Residence



Don't Miss

- Discovering past civilizations through art at the Fitzwilliam Museum
- Visiting one of the greatest examples of English architecture at King's College Chapel
- Propelling a flat-bottomed boat with a pole as you punt on the River Cam
- Watching a play or show by local and international theatre groups at ADC Theatre
- The 40-minute train ride to London to visit all its world-famous attractions





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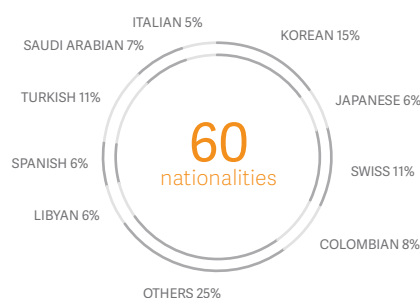
SELF-STUDY
ROOM



STUDENT
LOUNGE

EC Brighton is a bright, stylish and modern school, just two minutes away from the iconic Brighton Pier, The Royal Pavilion and The Lanes. Also on the doorstep are all the restaurants, bars and clubs that make this unique city so much fun.

Nationality mix



Age mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2013.

School information

Capacity 334
Classrooms 33
Student computers 30
Students in class Average 12 (Max 14)
Minimum age 16 years, 18 years (16 Jun - 22 Aug)

Courses

General English
 Intensive English
 English for Work
 Academic Semester/Year
 Intensive Academic Semester/Year
 Business Semester/Year
 Cambridge Exam Preparation
 Cambridge Intensive Exam Preparation
 IELTS Intensive Exam Preparation
 One-to-One
 Internship in London
 English Plus: Boot Camp

Courses include

Course book
 English language activities & workshops
 Welcome event
 Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

Homestay
 Residence
 Student House



Don't Miss

- The shops, restaurants, amusement park and beautiful sea views on Brighton Pier
- The maze of twisting alleyways called The Lanes, offering a mix of boutique clothing, jewellery and antique shops
- Tea on the Royal Pavilion terrace overlooking the great Regency Garden
- 150 different species of sea life in over 50 aquariums and pools at the Sea Life Centre
- Eating the Great British favourite fish and chips on the beach





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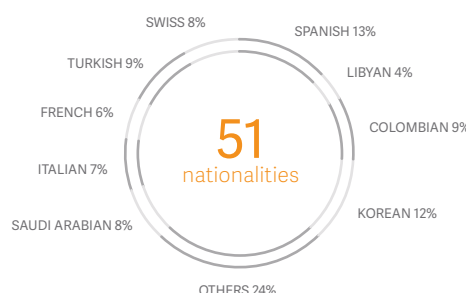
SELF-STUDY
ROOM



STUDENT
LOUNGE

EC Bristol boasts an enviably central location in Queen Square, a peaceful area in the centre of this beautiful and unique city. Spread over four floors, EC Bristol is modern and spacious with large classrooms and bright, buzzy communal areas.

Nationality mix



Age mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2013.

School information

Capacity 260
Classrooms 27
Student computers 24
Students in class Average 12 (Max 14)
Minimum age 16 years

Courses

General English
 Intensive English
 English for Work
 Academic Semester/Year
 Intensive Academic Semester/Year
 Business Semester/Year
 Cambridge Intensive Exam Preparation
 IELTS Intensive Exam Preparation
 One-to-One
 Internship in Bristol or London
 English Plus: Dragon Boat Racing

Courses include

Course book
 English language activities & workshops
 Welcome event
 Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

Homestay
 Student House
 Studio Apartment
 'Twodio' Apartment



Don't Miss

- Walking across the Clifton Suspension Bridge spanning the scenic Avon Gorge
- Searching Banksy's home town for some of his earliest and most famous street art
- Celebrating African Caribbean culture with food, song and dance at St. Paul's Carnival
- The exotic animals and endangered species at the Bristol Zoo Gardens
- Witnessing 150 hot air balloons lift off at the Bristol International Balloon Fiesta





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STUDENT LOUNGE



BUSINESS CLASSROOMS & LOUNGE



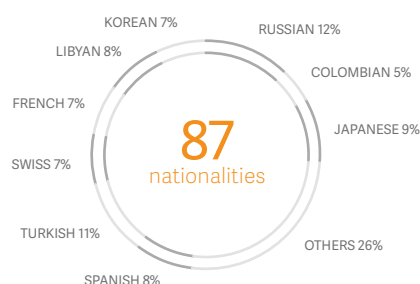
CAFÉ IN BUILDING



ROOF GARDEN

Bright, modern and bustling throughout the year, EC Malta is located in the heart of St. Julian's, moments away from beaches, restaurants, bars and shops. Friendly teachers and staff are ready to welcome you to this beautiful Mediterranean island.

Nationality mix



Age mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2013.

30+ CLUB 30+ (16 Jun – 5 Sep): General, Intensive and English for Work students aged 30 years+ will be placed in exclusive classes at no extra cost.

School information

Capacity 758
Classrooms 63 (+7 Business classrooms)
Student computers 56
Students in class Average 10 (Max 12)
Students in Mini Group class Max 6
Minimum age 16 years (18 years, 16 Jun - 29 Aug)
Minimum age for Business Mini Group 23 years

Courses

General/Intensive English
 English for Work
 Mini Group/Business Mini Group
 Intensive/Intensive Business Mini Group
 Academic Semester/Year
 Intensive Academic Semester/Year
 Business Semester/Year
 Cambridge Exam Preparation
 Cambridge Intensive Exam Preparation
 IELTS/TOEFL Intensive Exam Preparation
 One-to-One
 Club 50+
 Internship
 English Plus: Diving

Courses Include

Course book
 English language activities and workshops
 Welcome event and dinner
 Social and cultural programme
 Beach club membership (Summer only, excl. Sundays and public holidays)
 Airport Transfers (if booking course & accommodation)

Accommodation

Homestay
 Residence
 Shared/One Bedroom Apartment



Don't Miss

- The brilliant sea views and warm sandy beach at Golden Bay
- The green countryside and crystal-clear waters on the laid-back island of Gozo
- The unique sea caverns and Malta's bluest waters with a boat trip to the Blue Grotto
- A trip to the Stone Age at the Megalithic Temples dating back to 5000 BC
- A visit to the historic palaces, churches, bastions and forts of the Three Cities





EC Cape Town



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SELF-STUDY ROOM



STUDENT LOUNGE



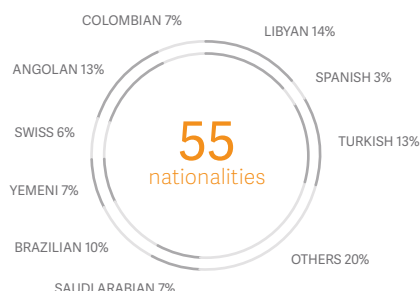
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CAFÉ IN BUILDING

In the heart of the city, EC Cape Town is just a few streets away from all the action of famous Long Street. The school is warm and welcoming with fantastic facilities, and stunning Table Mountain provides the view from many of the classrooms.

Nationality mix



Age mix



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School information

Capacity 265
Classrooms 23
Student computers 18
Students in class Average 12 (max 14)
Minimum age 16 years

Courses

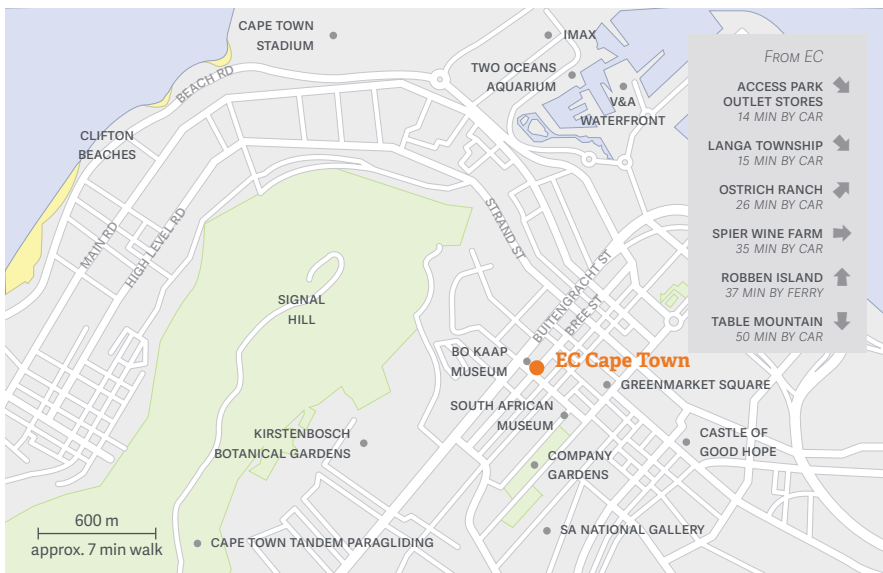
General English
 Intensive English
 English for Work
 Academic Semester/Year
 Intensive Academic Semester/Year
 Business Semester/Year
 Cambridge Intensive Exam Preparation
 IELTS Intensive Exam Preparation
 One-to-One
 Internship/Volunteer
 English Plus: 2 Day Safari

Courses include

Course book
 English language activities & workshops
 Welcome lunch
 Social and cultural programme
 Arrival Airport Transfer (if booking course and accommodation)

Accommodation

Homestay
 Student House



Don't Miss

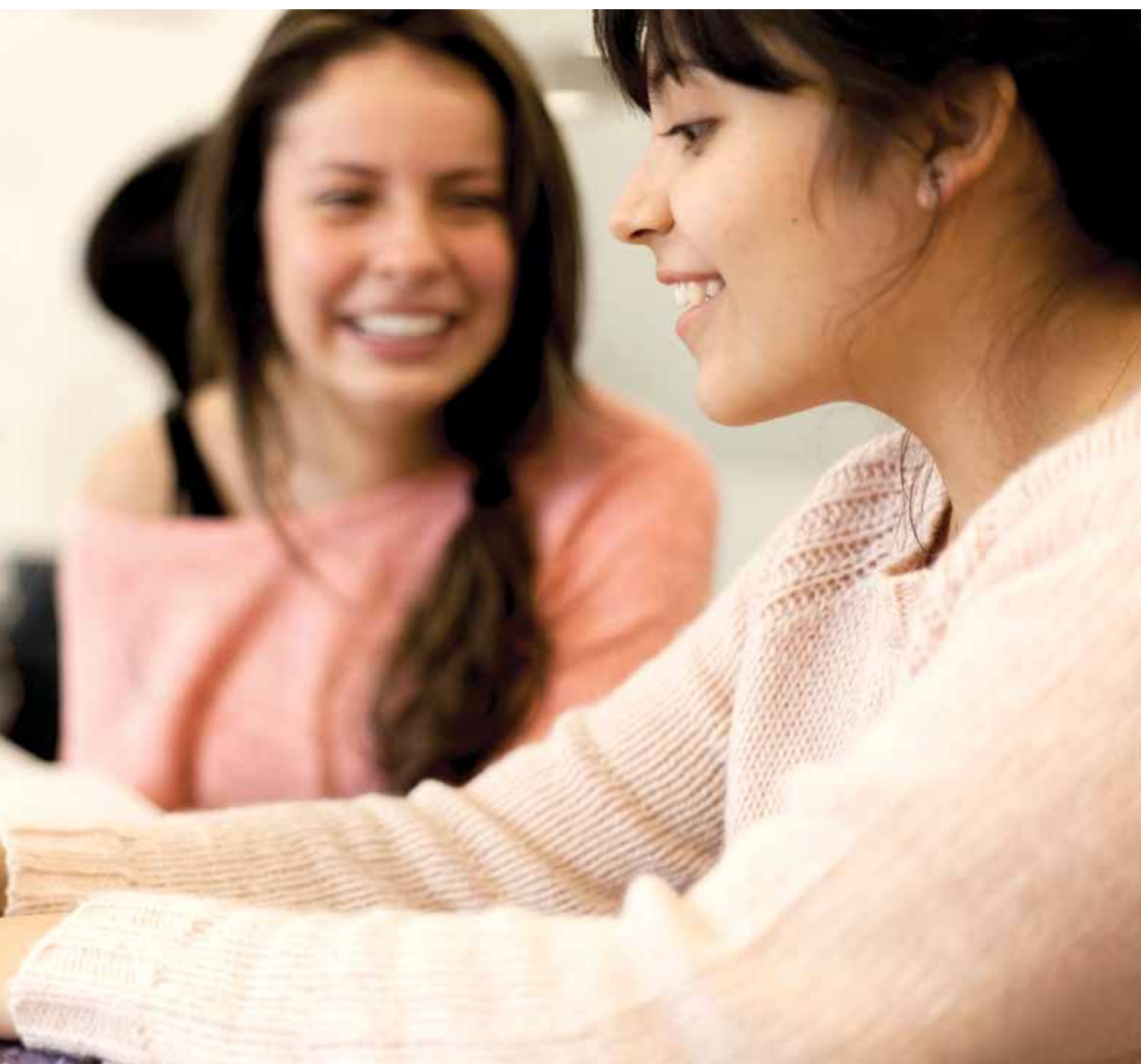
- Whale-watching from the beaches and cliffs, or taking a boat trip for a closer encounter
- The shops, restaurants, bars, museums and scenic views at the V&A Waterfront
- The ultimate adrenaline rush with a bungee jump from the world's highest bungee bridge
- Climbing the flat-topped Table Mountain for the best city viewpoint
- Meeting sharks face-to-face with an adventurous shark-diving excursion



"MY TRIP TO EC WAS THE BEST THING THAT EVER HAPPENED IN MY LIFE. TEACHERS MOTIVATE YOU SO THAT LEARNING BECOMES EASIER DAILY AND THE EDUCATION METHOD IS DESIGNED TO IMPROVE THE ENGLISH LEVEL WITH ALL ITS COMPONENTS. I ALSO GOT TO KNOW MANY FRIENDS FROM DIFFERENT COUNTRIES THAT TAUGHT ME ABOUT THEIR CULTURES. THANKS A LOT EC FOR EVERYTHING!"

SANDRA *from* COLOMBIA





Choose Your Course

General, Semi-Intensive & Intensive English

Your route to all-round fluency and confidence in all four skills of the English language: reading, writing, speaking and listening.

Choose this course if you

- ✓ are at any level
- ✓ want to improve your level and gain confidence in all areas of the English language
- ✓ want to develop your fluency in everyday situations and contexts

Learn real English

These courses will teach you how to use English in real-life situations. You will develop your understanding of grammar, vocabulary and idioms, and learn the secrets of perfect pronunciation. Through interesting and engaging lessons, you will practise the four skills of everyday English: reading, writing, speaking and listening.

Choose your intensity

Our flexibility means you can choose the intensity of your studies. See our Progress Planner to plan your route to fluency.

General English students receive 20 English lessons each week. Semi-Intensive students receive these core lessons, plus an additional 4 per week, based on an Elective of their choice. And Intensive English students receive the 20 core lessons plus an additional 10 Elective lessons per week.

Learn by doing

We believe there is no better way to improve your linguistic skills than by using them as much as you can! Our lessons are task-based, which means they promote the active

production of the English language through class participation and lots of interaction between you and your fellow students.

Improve your 'thinking time'

As your skills and confidence develop, so will your ability to listen, understand and respond quickly and effectively in English. You will notice this improvement in your 'thinking time' most of all when you take your English outside of the classroom and into everyday conversation with your fellow students and locals in one of our vibrant English-speaking destinations.

Creative and energetic classes

Our teachers are qualified and experienced, and when it comes to creating lessons, they know what works. Classes are dynamic and motivating, designed to activate and build upon your strengths, whilst also giving focused attention to your weaker areas.

Your teachers create a relaxed and informal classroom environment and are trained to deliver constant support, feedback and care throughout your time with us. This focus on support and encouragement will build your confidence as you advance towards fluency.

	General English	Semi-Intensive English	Intensive English
Available	All schools	US and Canada schools	All schools
Level	All levels	All levels	All levels
Starts	Every Monday	Every Monday	Every Monday
Length	Minimum 1 week	Minimum 1 week	Minimum 1 week
Intensity*	20 lessons per week	24 lessons per week	30 lessons per week

*1 lesson = 45 mins

Personalise your studies through Electives



If you choose to study Semi-Intensive or Intensive English, you will tailor your course through a choice of Electives.

These motivating sessions will extend your language skills within the subject areas that are most interesting and relevant to you. By gaining the language to use in specific, real-world situations, you will become a more motivated and confident speaker of English: one of the keys to success in a global community.

Your choice of electives could include:

Global Citizenship Learn the specific English you need to discuss issues surrounding the environment, cultural diversity, equality, industrialisation and globalisation.

Comparative Culture & Communication Develop your awareness and understanding of different cultures, and how communication varies between them.

Academic Techniques in Practice Focus on improving the skills you really need, such as writing assignments, taking notes and preparing presentations.

The Language of Music Explore music of different types, cultures and eras, and learn the language to discuss it.

Media Studies Sharpen your analytical skills by studying a variety of news media, identifying fact, opinion and meaning.

Basic English Writing Boost your written English skills and develop confidence.

Film Studies Develop critical skills by watching, analysing and learning to express your thoughts on different types of film.

Get Talking Develop confidence, practise conversation and develop fluency.

Write Now Improve your skills in writing for different audiences, using appropriate language and style.

A World of Words Gain inspiration and vocabulary to learn about and discuss world issues and global geography.

Survival English/Living in English Develop a practical understanding of English at different levels and activate your newly-acquired language in different everyday situations.

Grammar in Real Contexts Take a closer look at how the English language is structured, with a focus on relevance and appropriateness.

	Beginner	Elementary	Pre-Intermediate	Intermediate	Upper Intermediate	Advanced
Global Citizenship			✓	✓		
Comparative Culture and Communication				✓	✓	
Academic Techniques in Practice				✓	✓	✓
The Language of Music			✓	✓	✓	
Media Studies				✓	✓	
Basic English Writing	✓	✓	✓			
Film Studies				✓	✓	✓
Get Talking				✓	✓	✓
Write Now				✓	✓	✓
A World of Words				✓	✓	
Survival English	✓	✓				
Living in English			✓			
Grammar in Real Contexts				✓		

English for Work

For those who want to succeed in today's global workplace, this intensive course develops the fluency, accuracy and specific communication skills you need to advance confidently in your chosen career.

Choose this course if you

- ✓ want to embark on a career in an international environment
- ✓ require English language skills in your current job
- ✓ are changing career and want to boost your CV



Intensive language learning

This course builds your General English skills, and then focuses on the language you will need in the workplace. Through intensive practice in the four skills, you will gain the means to express yourself effectively in English. So in future, whether you want to write a report or give a presentation, you can do so with fluency, accuracy and confidence.

Professional focus

As English is the global language of business, politics, international relations, culture and entertainment, this course will develop your linguistic skills in the context of building an international career.

You will develop your language skills within such areas as:

- Negotiating contracts
- Management and HR
- Branding and promotional strategies
- Project management
- Company budgets
- Business ethics and CSR

You will enhance valuable 'soft skills', focusing on how to justify your opinion, make recommendations, present different scenarios and resolve conflict.

You will develop practical workplace skills such as giving presentations, compiling and writing your CV, preparing for an interview and telephone techniques.

In today's world, understanding these key professional issues and having the language to work with them effectively will give you a distinct advantage as you progress up the career ladder.

Develop your international prospects

By the end of your time with us, important doors will have opened for you. You will not only have considerably improved your English fluency, but you will also have the specific language, knowledge and skills to deal confidently with a wide range of business issues.

All this will give you a vital edge over the competition as exciting new employment prospects open up around the world.

About this course

Available	All schools
Level	Low Intermediate to Advanced
Starts	Every Monday
Length	Minimum of 1 week
Intensity	30 lessons per week
<i>(20 General English + 10 Business English)</i>	
Lessons	45 mins each

Mini Group/Business Mini Group

Mini Group class sizes are small, allowing teachers to tailor lessons more specifically to your linguistic needs. If you would like more individual attention, and a faster rate of improvement, this is a perfect option for you.



Choose Mini Group if you

- ✓ are any age and any level
- ✓ need to progress quickly
- ✓ want to improve your confidence in smaller classes
- ✓ want more individual attention

Choose Business Mini Group if you

- ✓ are 23 years old or over
- ✓ are Intermediate to Advanced level
- ✓ want to learn the language of business and improve your career and prospects
- ✓ prefer smaller classes

More individual attention

Studying in a more intimate class of just six students creates a strong class dynamic and allows you to spend more time in direct contact with your teacher.

Whether you are studying General English or Business English, your specific linguistic needs will be identified, monitored and met by your teacher, allowing for more personal encouragement, feedback and help.

Flexible and personal

Fewer class members and creative, responsive teachers allow lessons to take a natural flow. As you feel an increased sense of participation and motivation, your course will adapt to cover the language areas and skills that you need to focus on.

Improve fluency quickly and effectively

The flexibility of our teachers plus a small class size means lessons progress faster. You will improve your 'thinking time', in terms of listening, comprehending and responding, which are essential for your fluency.

Smaller classes, more confidence

In a smaller group you will enjoy a more relaxed atmosphere and stronger relationships within your class. Your confidence will grow as you feel safe and secure, with more opportunities to interact with your classmates and teacher.

Topics relevant to you

Mini Group 20/30 is a flexible course and may include any area of the English language. Lessons will be tailored to the interests and linguistic needs of your particular group.

Business Mini Group can also adapt to the requirements of your particular group. Items of language may include:

- Telephone English
- The language of business meetings
- Giving presentations
- Conducting negotiations
- Writing professional reports, emails and letters

About Mini Group

Available	Malta
Level	All levels
Starts	Every Monday
Length	1 to 4 weeks
Intensity	20/30 lessons per week
Lessons	45 mins each

About Business Mini Group

Available	Malta
Level	Intermediate to Advanced
Starts	Every Monday
Length	1 to 4 weeks
Intensity	20/30 lessons per week
Lessons	45 mins each
Age	Minimum 23 years

Exam Preparation

Choose from either our classic Exam Preparation courses or our exclusive Higher Score® technique, and enter your exam feeling thoroughly prepared with the confidence to succeed.



Exam Preparation courses

Available for Cambridge, IELTS, TOEFL and TOEIC, these thorough exam preparation courses will raise your English level and teach you the specific skills needed to meet or surpass your expected result.

With plenty of core English training, by the end of your course your exam results will reflect a significant improvement in reading, writing, speaking and listening. You will learn:

- Skim reading for meaning, scanning for detail, paraphrasing, making inferences, and more
- Methods and strategies for successful integrated and independent writing
- The skills needed to speak confidently and succeed in a one-to-one interview
- Listening strategies such as listening for gist and for detail

With sample papers and continuous practice of specific tasks, you will become familiar with the exam you are taking and learn how to answer the questions as effectively as possible.

Higher Score® IELTS, TOEFL or TOEIC

Higher Score® courses are powerful training in pure exam technique, and exclusive to EC in Canada. For those who are already confident in their English language abilities, our goal is very simple: to help you improve your exam result. Since 2004, thousands of students have taken this course, and over 97% of them were able to increase their score with our help.

Higher Score® focuses on three key areas: helpful exam strategies, effective exam thinking, and studying only the English you need to pass the test. We combine the best commercially-available course books with our own materials, developed by people who have worked with Oxford University Press and ETS (the organisation that develops TOEFL and TOEIC).

All Higher Score® teachers are specially trained. They also have expert knowledge of the exams, and an average of over 10 years' experience teaching English and exam classes.

Your choice of exam

Cambridge ESOL

These exams are recognised by employers, universities and colleges all over the world, and the results are valid for life. Choose from:

FCE (First Certificate in English)

This exam is suitable if you can deal confidently with a wide range of spoken and written English.

CAE (Certificate in Advanced English)

This exam is aimed at high-level English users who can use written and spoken English for most professional and academic purposes.

CPE (Certificate of Proficiency in English)

This advanced exam is aimed at students who are able to function effectively in almost every English-speaking context.

IELTS (International English Language Testing System)

An IELTS qualification is required by most British, Canadian, Australian, Maltese and South African universities and, in some cases, American academic institutions. IELTS is often required by professional bodies and is needed for immigration to Canada and Australia.

TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language)

Taken by over 25 million English language learners, the TOEFL test is a widely respected English language test. It measures your ability to use English at university level and is recognised by over 8,000 institutions in more than 130 countries, including the majority of North American universities.

TOEIC (Test of English for International Communication)

TOEIC test scores are used by over 10,000 companies, government agencies and English language learning programmes in 120 countries, and more than 6 million TOEIC tests were administered last year.

Lessons per week available by school

	FCE	CAE	CPE	IELTS	TOEFL	TOEIC	Higher Score® IELTS	Higher Score® TOEFL	Higher Score® TOEIC
Boston	30	30	30	24, 30	24, 30	-	-	-	-
New York	30	30	30	-	30	-	-	-	-
San Francisco	30	30	30	-	30	-	-	-	-
San Diego	30	30	30	-	30	-	-	-	-
Los Angeles	30	30	-	-	30	-	-	-	-
Miami	30	30	30	-	30	-	-	-	-
Montreal	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	-	-
Toronto	30	30	-	-	-	-	20, 24, 30	20, 24, 30	20, 24, 30
Vancouver	30	30	30	-	-	-	20	20	20
London	20, 30	20, 30	20, 30	30	30	30	-	-	-
Covent Garden 30+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oxford	20, 30	20, 30	-	30	-	-	-	-	-
Cambridge	20, 30	20, 30	20, 30	30	-	-	-	-	-
Brighton	20, 30	20, 30	-	30	-	-	-	-	-
Bristol	30	30	-	30	-	-	-	-	-
Malta	20, 30	20, 30	20, 30	30	30	-	-	-	-
Cape Town	30	30	30	30	-	-	-	-	-

Exam

FCE

Minimum Level

Intermediate

High Intermediate for 8 week course

Upper Intermediate for 4 week course

CAE

Upper Intermediate

Advanced for 4 week course

CPE

Advanced

IELTS

Intermediate

TOEFL

Upper Intermediate

TOEIC

Intermediate

Higher Score® IELTS

Intermediate

Higher Score® TOEFL

Intermediate

Higher Score® TOEIC

Intermediate

About this course

Available See table above

Level See left

Starts Every Monday (except FCE, CAE, CPE; see price list for specific start dates)

Lessons 45 mins each

Academic Semester/Year

Living and learning English abroad is an extraordinary experience. With this programme, you will achieve fluency, challenge yourself and develop long-term friendships with people from all around the world.

Choose this course if you

- ✓ want to achieve fluency, accuracy and an active understanding of English across the four skills
- ✓ would like to move into an exam class or the Business Semester/Year programme after reaching the required level
- ✓ want to sharpen your analytical and presentation skills
- ✓ would like to live and learn in an English-speaking country



Three levels of support

A strong support network will ensure your time at EC is as successful and rewarding as possible. We will give you individual attention and advice, monitor your progress and help you to address your weak areas. You will receive this support from:

- 1 Personal class tutorials with your teacher every four to five weeks
- 2 One-to-one meetings with your personal mentor every six weeks
- 3 Your Academic Semester/Year Co-ordinator, dedicated to serving your academic needs

Get qualified

You will have the opportunity to prepare and sit an internationally recognised exam:

Cambridge (FCE, CAE or CPE) Recognised by employers, universities and colleges all over the world, and the results are valid for life.

IELTS Required by most British, Australian, Canadian, Maltese and South African universities and, in some cases, American academic institutions.

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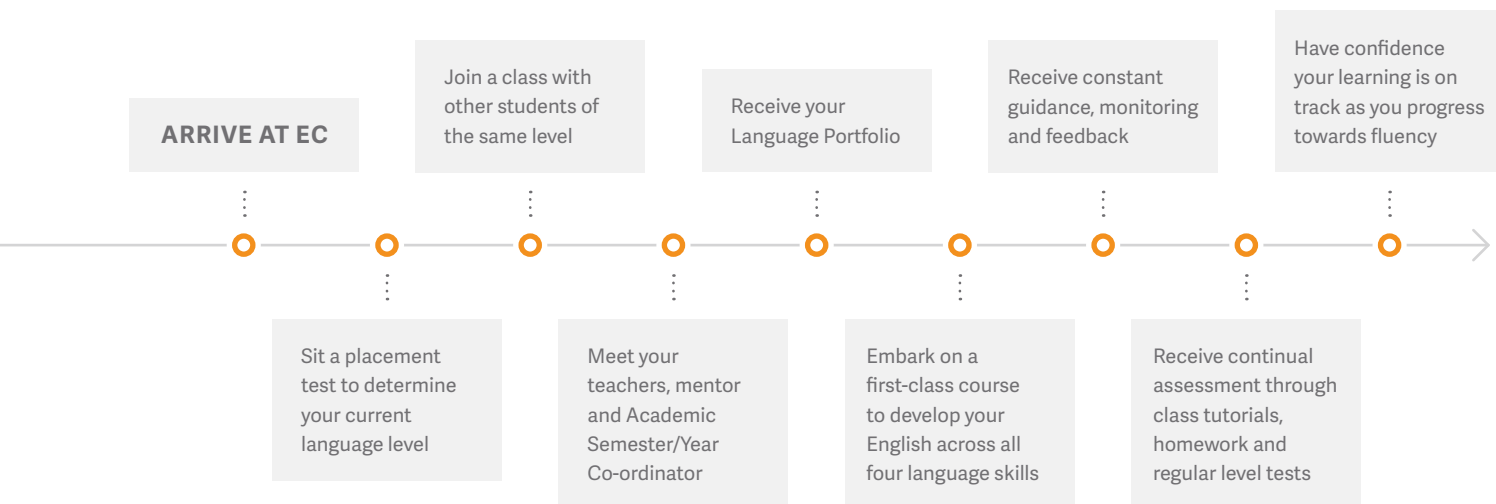
TOEIC Used by over 10,000 companies, government agencies and English language learning programmes in 120 countries.

Academic Semester/Year 30 students are also awarded an EC Diploma at the end of their course, and Academic Semester/Year 20/24 students receive an EC Certificate of Merit. The grade you are awarded will depend upon the quality of the work you have produced throughout your course.

About this course

Available	All schools
Level	All
Starts	Every Monday
Length	Minimum 24 weeks
Intensity	20 lessons per week (All schools except US) 24 lessons per week (US and Canada only) 30 lessons per week (All schools)
Lessons	45 mins each

Start your Journey to Success



Tailor your learning

Academic Semester/Year 24 and 30 students can also choose from a varied selection of electives. Each elective is 30 hours long, building up to an assessed project.

Culture & Communication

Develop your understanding of different cultures, and the variety of communication between them.

Academic Techniques in Practice

Improve skills such as writing assignments, notetaking and preparing presentations.

Global Citizenship

Learn the English you need to discuss issues such as the environment, equality and globalisation.

The Language of Music

Explore music of different types, cultures and eras, and learn the language to discuss it.

Get Talking Develop confidence, practise conversation and develop spoken fluency.

Write Now Improve your skills in writing for different audiences, and master the skills of appropriate language and style.

A World of Words

Gain the inspiration and vocabulary to learn about and discuss world issues and global geography.

Survival English/Living in English

Gain a practical understanding of English and activate your newly-acquired language.

Grammar in Real Contexts

Take a closer look at how English is structured, focusing on relevance and appropriateness.

Basic Writing Skills

Boost your written English and gain practice and confidence in this key language skill.

Film Studies Develop critical skills by analysing and expressing your thoughts on different films.

Media Studies Sharpen your analytical skills by studying a variety of news media, identifying fact, opinion and meaning.

Additional benefits

- Free Academic Workshops
- Competency Descriptor for every level
- Structured guidance on participation and motivation
- Fully stocked library
- Full calendar of activities, many at no extra charge
- Regular homework
- Progress and level tests to keep you on track

Academic Semester/Year 30 students also benefit from the following extras:

- Independent Research Skills, a programme embedded in the course
- Reading Club

PERSONAL LANGUAGE PORTFOLIO

This unique study tool, exclusive to our long-term students, will help to maximise your language development by:

- assessing your learning style and offering strategies to build upon your strengths
- evaluating progress in tests and assignments
- recording learning requirements, alongside your skills, experiences and achievements





University Admissions Service

Gain admission to a top-tier university in the US or Canada. From enrolling in your English course to choosing your future university, we will advise you at every stage, ensuring that your application stands out.

→ This service is **FREE** for students taking 24+ weeks courses.

About this course

Available All schools in US and Canada
Included Comprehensive university and college advisory service, university counselling, application assistance and application review, courier fees for application, conditional letter of acceptance and guaranteed partner university admission, subject to meeting entry requirements.

Our growing list of partner universities and colleges

University Success in **3** Easy Steps

FEEL 100% PREPARED WITH THE SKILLS TO SUCCEED IN YOUR CHOSEN UNIVERSITY.

By the end of your EC experience, you will have: raised your English level, learned key academic skills, made friends for life, had an incredible study experience abroad and realised your dreams of accessing a quality university in North America.

1

Enrolment

Choose an EC school

With nine schools in the USA and Canada, choosing an EC school to suit your needs is the first step on your journey to university success.

Choose your English course

You can choose any EC course and opt for the University Admissions Service. If you take an Academic Semester/Year programme, 24 weeks + (24 or 30 lessons per week), you will be entitled to the standard service for FREE.

Add University Admissions Service

Upon enrolling, include the UAS and begin the process of attending a North American university before you arrive at your chosen EC school.

2

University Counselling

Benefit from personal guidance and support

Our experienced University Admissions Counsellors guide you through every step of your application process, helping you to: choose the best university or college for you, explore courses and majors, submit housing applications, identify potential financial aid options and ensure all documentation is correctly submitted.

Choose a university or college

We have many carefully selected partner universities and colleges. When applying to one of these, you can benefit from a range of opportunities including conditional admissions and TOEFL/IELTS waivers. You do not have to apply to an EC partner; however, conditional admissions and waivers will not be available for other applications.

Receive conditional admission

You can be accepted onto your chosen degree even before beginning your English course, if you meet the academic requirements but do not yet fulfil the level of English required. Once you reach the required level of English with our help, you will be able to join your university programme.

3

Access University and be Prepared

Raise your English level and receive a TOEFL or IELTS waiver

During your course you will improve your English level in line with the Progress Planner provided in this brochure. Our University partners trust EC to improve your English to their required level. Due to this we have TOEFL/IELTS waiver agreements with the vast majority of our partner universities, allowing you to enter selected colleges or universities without a TOEFL/IELTS score.

Choose 'Academic Techniques in Practice' elective

This elective is specifically designed for university-bound students at the high intermediate level or above, covering the four areas of: study, self-study, cultural awareness and academic skills. After completing this elective you will be thoroughly prepared for success in a North American university or college.

Continue to receive support and guidance

Throughout your Academic Semester/Year programme you will benefit from regular one-to-one meetings with a personal mentor, who will guide learning, set goals and monitor progress. Class tutorials with your teacher will take place and you will also be assigned an Academic Semester/Year co-ordinator who will track your progress and results.

Business Semester/Year

Gain a competitive edge in the world of work, business and commerce.

This intensive immersion course raises your English level and develops the language, skills and cultural understanding you need for success.

Choose this course if you

- ✓ would like to develop the language skills for success in an English-speaking workplace
- ✓ want an internationally recognised business English qualification
- ✓ want to boost your international career prospects



Become fluent in the language of international business

Of your 30 lessons per week, 20 will build your core English skills, and 10 will develop your ability to communicate fluently and effectively in a wide range of corporate contexts. Language will be taught within such contexts as:

Personal identification Exchanging information and correspondence about yourself, your role and your company

Travel and meetings Making reservations, enquiries, orders and conference bookings

Using the telephone Exchanging information, taking messages, and common abbreviations and acronyms

Buying and selling Understanding prices and rates, negotiating contracts, and making agreements and offers

Products and services Discussing branding, supply and distribution, making comparisons and customer support

Results and achievements Describing and explaining company background, performance results, trends and changes

General business environments and routines Planning meetings, making recommendations and justifying decisions

Professional relationships Dealing with invitations, welcoming foreign visitors, discussing interests and leisure activities

Health and safety Understanding health and safety policy, instructions and notices

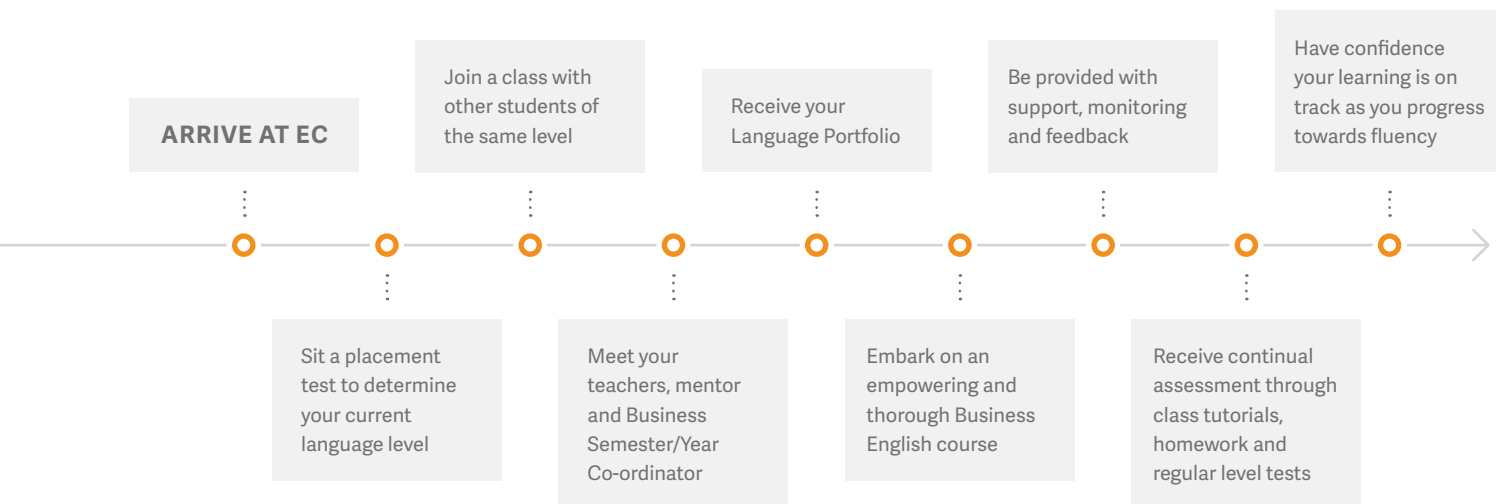
Company structures, systems and processes Exchanging information on facilities, production, ordering and delivery systems

General business issues Management, promotional strategies, CSR, conferences, HR, company budgets, sponsorship and IT

About this course

Available	All schools (Except Covent Garden 30+, Montreal)
Level	Low Intermediate to Advanced
Starts	Every Monday
Length	Minimum 24 weeks
Intensity	30 lessons per week (20 lessons of General English, 10 lessons of Business English)
Lessons	45 mins each

Start your Journey to Success



Mentoring and guidance

Our Business Semester/Year students receive an excellent level of personal attention, with motivation and support given on three levels:

- 1 Personal class tutorials with your teacher every four to five weeks
- 2 One-to-one meetings with your personal mentor every six weeks
- 3 Your Business Semester/Year Co-ordinator, dedicated to serving your academic needs

Gain an international qualification in business English

You will be awarded an EC Diploma at the end of your course, with the grade depending on the quality of your work. You will also have the opportunity to prepare and sit a Business English exam:

Business English Certificate (BEC)

A highly regarded international business English qualification, BEC is an ideal exam to take for your career. There are three levels, from Intermediate to Advanced.

Business Language Testing Service (BULATS)

Developed by Cambridge ESOL, the Alliance Francaise, Goethe-Institut and the Universidad de Salamanca, BULATS is designed to test the language skills of those who need to use a foreign language at work.

Additional benefits

- Free Language Workshops, including Conversation Sessions, Pronunciation Clinics, Lectures and more
- Reading Club
- Independent Research Skills, to enhance your research and presentation skills
- Structured guidance on participation and motivation
- Fully stocked library
- Regular homework
- Full calendar of social and leisure activities, many at no extra charge
- Progress and level tests to keep you on track

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- assessing your learning style and offering strategies to build upon your strengths
- evaluating progress in tests and assignments
- recording learning requirements, alongside your skills, experiences and achievements





Work Experience Programmes

Combine your studies with a placement in an authentic workplace. Practise your language skills, boost your CV and get even more out of your experience.

Choose these courses if you

- ✓ want to develop the language skills relevant to the world of work
- ✓ want to benefit from both a classroom and an authentic working context
- ✓ want to enhance your professional skills and gain a competitive edge

Co-op Programme in Canada

Learn English or French and then put your new skills to use as you gain valuable experience with this combination programme.

We prepare you with important workplace skills such as how to prepare your CV and how to give a successful interview. You then have a choice of three types of placement (see the table below), which can be up to the same length as your language course.

Working holiday visa holders

Come to Canada with a Working Holiday Visa and benefit from a reduced rate for Paid Self-Placement at any of our Canadian schools.

Bilingual programme in Montreal

If you have Intermediate French and Intermediate English, you can put your bilingual skills to use on the Co-Op Programme in Montreal. Available as Unpaid or Paid Self-Placement options only.

	Unpaid Work	Paid Self-Placement	Paid Guaranteed Placement
Minimum duration	4 weeks study & 4 weeks placement	12 weeks study & up to 12 weeks placement	16 weeks study & up to 16 weeks placement
Maximum duration	12 weeks study & up to 12 weeks placement	No maximum	No maximum
Placement	We guarantee you a placement in a general office work position, or one within the tourism industry.	You find your own placement. We provide you with all the counselling support you need to make your experience fulfilling.	We guarantee you an interview for placement in the hospitality or retail industries.

Volunteer Programme in US* and Cape Town

Study and have the exciting opportunity to volunteer in an organisation where your English skills will be used and improved in an authentic working context.

We will place you in an unpaid volunteer position, where you will take part in community work or exciting outreach projects. You will be provided with ongoing support throughout and awarded an official letter of completion to recognise your achievement.

**not available at EC New York*

Internship Programme in UK, Malta and Cape Town

We offer fantastic internship opportunities in a wide range of companies and organisations.

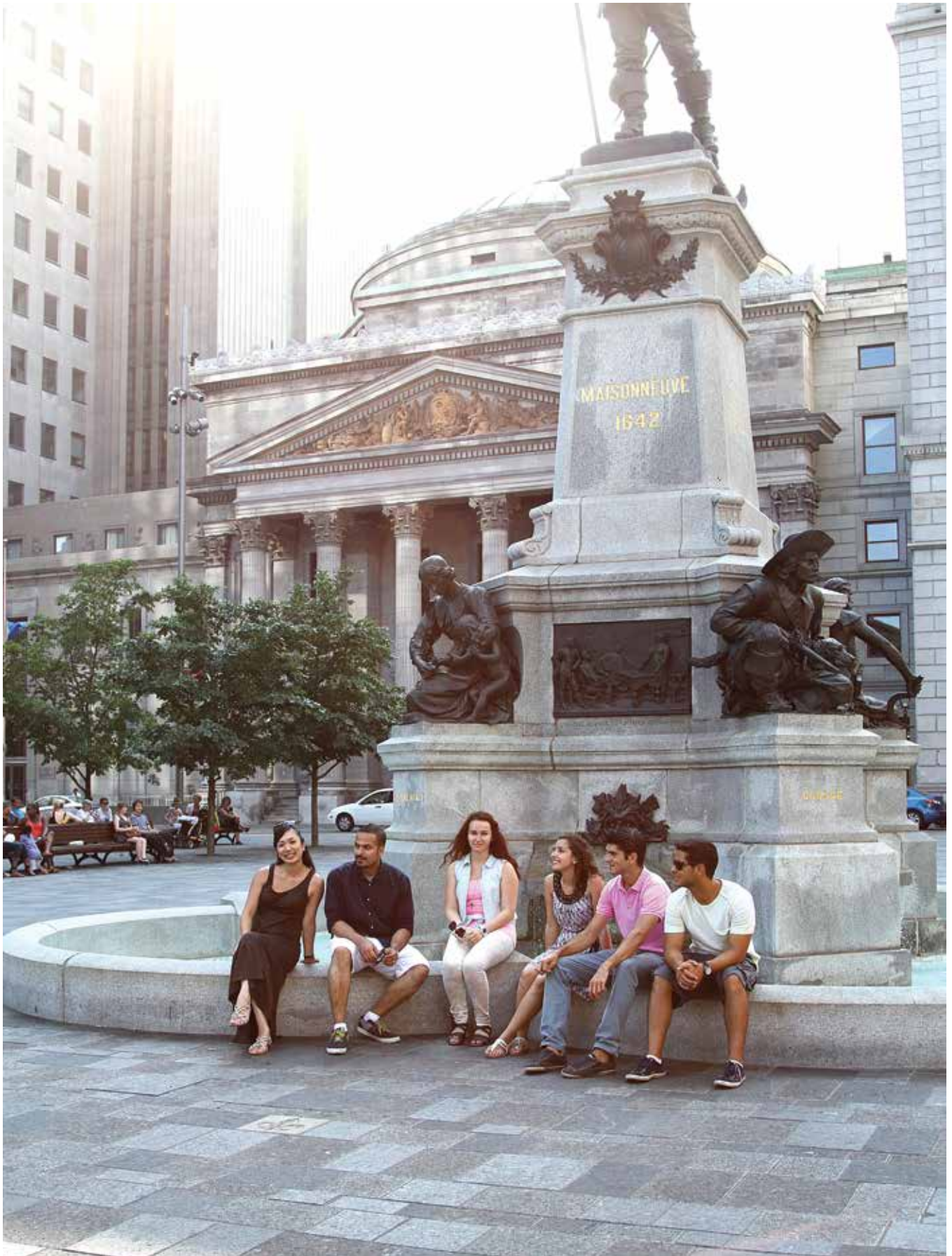
An internship will not only improve your English, but also help to develop your professional skills. This practical experience will ensure you stand out in the competitive work environment, and your CV will be greatly enhanced with the experience of living and working abroad.

These positions are unpaid and available to EEA, EU or Swiss students only.



About these courses

	Co-op Programme	Volunteer Programme	Internship Programme
Available	English Programme All Canada schools	All US schools (except New York), Cape Town	All UK schools, Malta, Cape Town
	Bilingual Programme Montreal (only unpaid and paid self-placement)		
Level	English programme Intermediate to Advanced	US High Intermediate to Advanced	UK Upper Intermediate to Advanced
	Bilingual programme Intermediate to Advanced French + Intermediate to Advanced English		Malta Intermediate to Advanced
Starts	Every Monday	Every Monday	Every Monday
Duration of work experience	Work can be as long as your course but not longer	US Minimum 4 weeks	UK 4 weeks – 3 months
			Malta Minimum 8 weeks
Duration of language course required	Minimum 4, 12 or 16 weeks (depending on programme)	US Minimum 8 weeks	Cape Town 4 weeks – 6 months
			UK Minimum 4 weeks
		Cape Town Minimum 4 weeks	
Minimum age	18	18	18



French Courses at EC Montreal

We offer a range of French courses in the unique, beautiful and bilingual city of Montreal.

General, Semi-Intensive & Intensive French

As a General French student, you will improve all your linguistic skills. You will gain a solid understanding of the French language and be guided towards fluency.

Semi-Intensive and Intensive students will also have the chance to personalise their course through a choice of electives, including:

- French grammar
- DELF or DALF preparation
- Communicative writing
- Everyday French conversation
- Conjugation
- La Francophonie
- Listening and pronunciation
- Listening and vocabulary
- Writing and vocabulary
- Speaking skills

French Academic Semester/Year

Living and learning abroad is a wonderful experience, especially in the stunning, cosmopolitan city of Montreal. On this longer course (24 weeks+), you will achieve genuine fluency, challenge yourself and build friendships with people from all around the world.

Students who choose to study 24 or 30 lessons per week will also choose from the range of electives above.

French for Work

Build your language skills within such areas as marketing, finance, management, e-business, international trade and corporate social responsibility. Perfect if you want to gain an advantage in your professional life, our French for Work course is for intermediate level students who want to use the French language for their career.

Bilingual Programme

Immerse yourself in the cosmopolitan culture and two languages of Montreal, the world's biggest bilingual city. This course allows you to study both English and French in unique surroundings, and with exceptional flexibility.

Choose 24 lessons per week to have 20 lessons learning one language and 4 lessons learning the other. Or choose 30 lessons per week to study for 20 lessons in one language and 10 lessons in the other. You can choose either language as your primary focus, and will be tested in both to ensure you are in the right classes for each of your levels.

If you have both Intermediate French and Intermediate English, you can also put your skills to use on the Bilingual Co-Op Programme. (See our section Work Experience Programmes)

Experience family life in English or French

If you choose our Homestay accommodation in Montreal, you can decide if you want to stay with a French- or English-speaking family. Like so many things on this flexible course, it's up to you.

	General French	Semi-Intensive French	Intensive French	French Academic Semester/Year	French for Work	Bilingual Programme
Available	Montreal	Montreal	Montreal	Montreal	Montreal	Montreal
Level	All levels	All levels	All levels	All levels	Intermediate to Advanced	All levels
Starts	Every Monday	Every Monday	Every Monday	Every Monday	Every Monday	Every Monday
Length	Minimum 1 week	Minimum 1 week	Minimum 1 week	Minimum 24 weeks	Minimum 1 week	Minimum 1 week
Intensity*	20 lessons per week	24 lessons per week	30 lessons per week	20, 24 or 30 lessons per week	30 lessons per week	24 or 30 lessons per week

*1 lesson = 45 mins

Language Plus

Get a real flavour of your chosen destination and practise your English with local native speakers. With this vibrant range of extra activities, you can learn a new skill, get fit, express your creative side or enhance your career.



Surfing

San Diego

Take advantage of San Diego's incredible coastline and many amazing surf spots. Both exhilarating fun and a great workout, this course offers advanced training techniques, professional coaches and a total fitness facility to help you reach your full surfing potential.

English course length Minimum 1 week

Plus 5 sessions of Surfing

English level Any

Boot Camp

Brighton

Look and feel better than ever as you tone up your body, build stamina, de-stress, lose fat and improve your overall fitness. These fun lessons take place in the beautiful outdoor spaces of Brighton and enable you to meet lots of new people, both locals and international students.

English course length Minimum 1 week

Plus 10 sessions of varied outdoor sports

English level Any

Salsa

Miami

Dance the night away in Miami. Join this friendly group made up of dancers, performers, musicians and students from all over the world who share a common interest, the love of salsa. With different instructors for different levels, you will be up and salsa dancing from your very first lesson.

English course length Minimum 1 week

Plus 5 lessons of Salsa

English level Any

Ranch Stay

Vancouver

For the cowboy or cowgirl at heart, who wants to learn English while spending time with a family on a real Canadian farm. You must be fit, hard-working and sociable as this extraordinary cultural exchange will bring you to the heart of farm family life.

English course length Minimum 1 week

Plus Ranch Stay

English level Intermediate to Advanced

Acting

Los Angeles

Where better to learn the secrets of acting than Los Angeles, the home of Hollywood? Develop and practise your English skills in an environment where you are also given the tools to discover, nurture and explore your creativity as an actor.

English course length Minimum 1 week

Plus 3 lessons of Acting

English level Intermediate to Advanced

Dance

New York

Combine your English course with classes in ballet, jazz, hip-hop, theatre, tap, belly dancing, yoga, Pilates, stretch, and many more. The Broadway Dance Center's international community attracts dancers from over 35 countries so the studio has nine translators on its staff.

English course length Minimum 1 week

Plus 5 lessons of Dance

English level Any

Sailing

Vancouver

Experience Vancouver from a completely different vantage point. Feel the fun and freedom of commanding a beautiful sailing boat while learning new skills and earning a certificate which is recognised worldwide.

English course length Minimum 1 week

Plus 28 hour Sailing course

English level Any

Diving

Malta

Gain a PADI certificate and enjoy the third best diving destination in the world, as voted by Diver Magazine. Immerse yourself in azure waters, amazing sea life, wrecks and reefs.

English course length Minimum 1 week

Plus Diving Course PADI (Open Water, Advanced or Open Water + Advanced)

English level Any

Graphic Design

Toronto

At Toronto's Academy of Design, you will build a solid foundation of graphic design skills. You will learn how to design printed materials and web pages, and advance towards an exciting career in a creative and vibrant industry.

English course length Minimum 1 week

Plus 3 months of Graphic Design

English level Intermediate to Advanced

Courses at the New York Film Academy

New York

Choose from a range of courses at the New York Film Academy, the film school of choice of many Hollywood filmmakers, actors and figures from the entertainment and media world.

Courses include High Definition Film, Acting for Film, 3D Animation, Photography, Musical Theatre and Producing.

English course length Minimum 4 weeks

Plus 4 week course

English level Upper Intermediate to Advanced

Gastronomy

Montreal

Learn the secrets of a world-famous cuisine, develop your own culinary skills and practise your French. This hands-on course will give you all the skills you need to become a French chef in your own home!

English, French or Bilingual course length

Minimum 1 week

Plus 2 sessions of Gastronomy

French level Any

Safari

Cape Town

Safari is a truly unforgettable experience. Amongst many incredible animals, you could see lions, elephants, rhinoceroses, buffalo, cheetahs, ostriches, springbok and wildebeest. You will also experience beautiful scenic drives, an evening campfire and breakfast on a boat.

English course length Minimum 1 week

Plus 2 day Safari

English level Any

Film Production

Toronto

Study at Toronto Film School with instructors who are working professionals in the movie business and gain the knowledge to move directly into the industry yourself. From documentaries to music videos, you will work with current industry equipment and other dedicated Film Production students.

English course length Minimum 1 week

Plus 3 months of Film Production

English level Intermediate to Advanced

Dragon Boat Racing

Bristol

This fast and exciting water sport is taking the UK by storm. Learn how to race a long, brightly coloured fibreglass boat, which holds up to 20 paddlers. You and your fellow paddlers will be steered by a helmsman and kept in time by a drummer beating a large drum.

English course length Minimum 1 week

Plus 3 sessions of Dragon Boat Racing

English level Any

Wine Appreciation

San Francisco

Expand your knowledge of wine with this fascinating course, where experienced and dedicated instructors teach you about grape growing, wine making and wine tasting. Followed up with a wine tour of the incredible Napa Valley.

English course length Minimum 1 week

Plus 3 classes of Wine Appreciation and Tour

English level Any



English for All Ages

You can learn English and open doors to a better future at any stage in your life. We care about teaching you within contexts that are relevant to you, so we design specially tailored programmes for different age groups.



30+ Our unique 30+ concept

Exclusively for those aged 30 years and over who want to share their experience with more mature, like-minded students, our 30+ concept is now available in Covent Garden, Toronto and Malta.

About 30+

Available	Covent Garden 30+, Toronto and Malta
Level	All levels in Covent Garden 30+ and Malta. Pre-Intermediate to High Intermediate in Toronto.
Courses	General, Intensive and English for Work in Toronto, Covent Garden 30+ and Malta plus Semi-Intensive in Toronto.
Dates	All year round in Covent Garden 30+ and Toronto. 16 Jun – 5 Sep in Malta.

A focused international environment

You will be surrounded by students from all over the world who are at a similar stage in their life to you and just as serious about their studies. During lessons and activities you will learn about your classmates' cultural, personal and professional backgrounds, and, by the time you leave, you will have made a new international network of friends.

Language relevant to you

We design our 30+ programmes specifically for more mature students with greater experience of life and the world of work. Through speaking, listening, reading and writing, you will learn within contexts that are specially chosen to be stimulating and relevant to you.

Our 30+ destinations

EC Covent Garden is a school exclusively for students over 30 in a quirky and colourful part of Central London, which is famous for West End shows, street performers, markets, restaurants and nightlife.

At EC Toronto, students over 30 who book General, Semi-Intensive or Intensive English, or English for Work, study in a 30+ environment at no extra cost. This also applies at EC Malta during high season.

Explore and enjoy

Benefit from a high-quality activity programme featuring the top cultural highlights of your chosen destination. Mould it to your own tastes to take in the arts, sports, shopping, relaxation, nightlife, action and adventure.

Club 50+

Exclusive to EC Malta, this complete package of lessons and activities, is exclusively for people aged 50 and over who want to travel, socialise and improve their English in the Mediterranean sunshine.

Learn English with like-minded people

Lessons focus on practical General English across the four skills of speaking, reading, writing and listening. You will be placed in a small class of just six students, all of whom are over 50.

With sociable group activities and plenty of free time, you will build strong friendships with people your age from different backgrounds and nationalities.

Explore Malta

The excursion programme includes activities that will help you discover this unique island and its culture. You will uncover Malta's rich history, enjoy its beautiful climate and enjoy fine Mediterranean cuisine.

About this course

Available	Malta
Level	All levels
Dates	5 – 16 May 2014 29 Sep – 10 Oct 2014
Duration	Min 2 weeks
Intensity	20 lessons per week
Max in class	6
Lessons	45 mins each

Programmes for Young Learners

We guarantee our young learners new friends from around the world and memories to last a lifetime. Our qualified teachers and leaders are professional, friendly and passionate about language learning.

Summer Camp (age 8 – 13)

Summer Camp in Malta provides a safe environment for our youngest learners to have fun, learn English and make friends. Our fully trained leaders offer 24-hour supervision.

Classic (age 10 – 17)

Our Classic programmes are action-packed study and travel experiences, offering the perfect opportunity for young students to learn English while seeing a new, exciting part of the world and making international friends.

Freestyle (age 16 – 20)

As our Freestyle students are young adults, we guarantee them more independence than a traditional junior programme offers. Students learn English while enjoying fun, friendship and freedom in amazing destinations.

School Groups

We offer special packages for school groups where teachers or leaders may accompany students to any of our schools throughout the scholastic year.

Family Programme

For families who want to combine a holiday with an unforgettable learning experience, parents can either relax on holiday or study at one of our adult schools while their children engage in our day programmes.



Student Insurance

*We have created a special insurance policy with trusted insurance provider **guard.me** to ensure you feel protected and secure when you travel and study with us.*



Our partner **guard.me** has won the Language Travel Magazine Star Award for Best International Insurance Provider five times and is the only provider with 'Super Star Status'.

This special policy has been designed to suit the specific needs of our students travelling abroad to study on our adult courses and gives a very good level of cover for all destinations.

Enrolment is extremely easy and can be done at the same time as booking your course. Within 24 hours you will receive confirmation of your policy and within 48 hours you will receive a card via email which you can carry with you as proof of your insurance protection.

A mobile phone app is also available for download, to ensure you have easy access to your policy details at all times.

Your policy document is available in 13 languages so you will understand it completely. And in the unfortunate case that you need to make a claim, you will have the highest level of support from the **guard.me** team who can communicate with you in multiple languages.

Your insurance cover will vary slightly by your destination country:

US and South Africa

This insurance will cover you for accidents and emergency illness up to a maximum of \$2m. It is important to know that whether or not you choose to take this insurance option, by law you must have health insurance to study in the US. This insurance policy covers you without excesses or co-insurance.

Canada

This insurance will cover you for accidents and emergency illness up to a maximum of \$2m. This insurance policy covers you without excesses or co-insurance.

UK and Malta

This insurance will cover you for accidents and emergency illness up to £/€10m, plus cancellation or curtailment of your trip from within the EEA up to £/€7,500. This insurance covers you without excesses or co-insurance.

For further details, plus Terms and Conditions, please visit: **www.guard.me**



